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SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, AND MARSEILLES.

PROGRAMME OF DEPARTURES.

Vessel	Tons	H.P.	Captains.	FRIDAY.
L. Cathay	2938	500	T. Fairclough	21st Nov.
— Assam	3933	500	S. F. Cole	28th ,,
L. Tasmania	4150	900	C. Gadd	5th Dec.
M. Pekin	2600	650	A. Symons	12th ,,
L. Malwa	2618	900	A. W. Adamson	19th ,,
— Gwalior	2733	600	P. Harris	26th ,,
				1885.
L. Rosetta	3502	700	G. W. Brady	2nd Jan.
M. Venetia	2732	500	A. B. Daniell	9th ,,
L. Massilia	4911	1000	S. L. Stanford	16th ,,
— Nizam	2726	500	G. W. Atkinson	23rd ,,
L. Sutlej	4194	800	A. H. Johnson	30th ,,

The steamers marked L proceed direct to London via Malta, and those marked M via Marseilles. By the others passengers for London change vessels at Suez. All London steamers call at Plymouth.

A steam-barge will leave the Company's Dockyard, Mazagon, at 3 p.m., on the day of sailing to convey passengers on board.

STEAM TO COLOMBO, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, AND AUSTRALIA.

Vessel.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	On	1884.
PESHAWUR	3900	600	J. C. Babot	28th	Nov.
TASMANIA	3560	800	C. Perrins	12th	Dec.
HYDASPES	2884	500	G. Scrivener	26th	,,
					1885.
BOKHARA	2941	500	H. Weighell	9th	Jan.

Return Tickets are now issued at greatly reduced rates to all ports, for particulars of which apply to

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Acting Superintendent P & O S S Company.

Bombay, Nov. 15, 1884.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

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Bombay, Nov. 15, 1884.

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The following or other First Class Steamers will leave Bombay:—

	Tons.	H.P.	
ABYSSINIA	3,500	400	on Monday, 1st Dec. 1884.
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Bombay, 20th October 1884.

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Steamers.	Captains.	Tons.	H.P.	To sail	1884.
DUSA	G. Ragusin	3,500	550	29th	Nov.
ANIA	G. Donelich	4,000	800	29th	Dec.
DORA	G. Mettel	3,500	550	29th	Jan.
					1885.

rgeon and Stewardess on board of every Steamer.

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ny's steam launch will be in attendance at under on the day of sailing to convey passenluggage to the steamer, free of charge.

O COLOMBO, PENANG, SINGAORE AND HONGKONG.

Captain.	Tons.	H.P.	To sail	1884.
G. Mettel	3,500	550	28th	Nov.

COLOMBO AND CALCUTTA.

Captain	Tons	H.P.	To sail.
F. Eager	3,200	450	13th Dec.

e received on board after sunset on the sailing.

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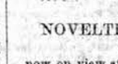

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"1ST CLASS CERTIFICATE and GOLD MEDAL, Section B., Class 14, Catalogue page 319.—SQUARE CONCERT PIANO, exhibitors' name SCHIEDMAYER and Co., STUTTGART, and BOMBAY, makers name SCHIEDMAYER and Co."—Vide *Bombay Gazette*, Feb. 4, 1884.

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NOTICE.—TENDERS will be received separately or together up to 12 o'clock noon of SATURDAY, the 22nd instant, for the supply during one year of the following articles, to be delivered as required at the Company's Factory at Mody Bay.
Sulphuric Ether, Ammonia, and miscellaneous, stores as per list and conditions to be seen at the office of the undersigned.
By order of the Board,
C. H. B. FORBES & CO.,
Bombay, Nov. 15, 1884. Secretaries and Agents.

NOTICE is hereby given that KHOJA MAHOMEDBHOY MITHA has contracted to SELL to RAHIWALABHOJAS BALGOWNDAS the following immoveable property. All persons having any claim against the said property by way of inheritance, gift, sale, mortgage or otherwise are hereby required to make the same known to the undersigned at their office, No. 19, in Church Gate-street, Fort, within ten days from the date hereof, otherwise the same will be completely without regard to such claim if there be any.
All that piece or parcel of Government land or ground, together with the messuages, tenements or dwelling-houses, ranges or chawls, erected, built and standing thereon, situate, lying and being without the Fort of Bombay, at Khetwady New Road, in the registration sub-district of Mandvie, formerly as well as now in the occupation of several tenants assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under Nos. 81 and 82 containing by admeasurement 21 square yards or thereabout, registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 1978, and new Survey No. 947, which said land, hereditaments and premises standing in the name of Fooda Jeewa and Bhiwa Jeewa, both in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue and Municipality, and bounded as follows:—on the east partly by the property of Cumroodin Tyabji, and partly by the property of Hormusji Patna, on the west by the said Khetwady 3rd street, on the north by the property of Borah Jeewakhan Lalljee, and on the south by the property of Bai Mirjee Banajiwalla.
BOMANJEE & HORMUSJEE,
Bombay, Nov. 15, 1884. Purchaser's Attorneys.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.

MISCELLANEOUS STORES, COUNTRY PRODUCE, &c.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of MISCELLANEOUS STORES, ARTICLES of COUNTRY PRODUCE, &c., required by the Company during the twelve months commencing 1st January, 1885.
Forms of Tender may be obtained, and plans seen, and further particulars learned upon application at the Storekeeper's Office, Parel.
Sealed tenders will be received by the Agent at the Company's offices, Esplanade Buildings, Bombay, up to 1 p. m. (gunfire) on MONDAY, the 1st December next, after which hour no tenders will be received.
No notice will be taken of any tender unless accompanied separately by a deposit of Rs. 100 in cash or Government promissory notes, and this amount will, in the event of any portion of the tender being accepted, be retained to the extent of 10 per cent upon the estimated aggregate amount of such accepted articles as security for due fulfilment of contract.
The Agent reserves to himself the right to select one or more items from any tender without reference to others in the same tenders, and he does not bind himself to accept the whole or any portion of any tender.
ALFRED KING,
Storekeeper's Office, Parel, 13th November, 1884. Storekeeper.

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THE SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of shareholders will be held at the Company's offices, Falkland-road, Byculla, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th instant, at 5 p.m., to transact the following business:—
1.—To receive the Directors' Report and Statement of Profit and Loss, with audited Balance Sheet, made up to 31st October, 1884.
2.—To declare a dividend.
3.—To elect two directors in place of two who retire, but are eligible for re-election.
4.—To elect Auditors for the ensuing year and fix their remuneration.
By order of the Directors,
JOSEPH P. PEARSON,
Secretary and Manager.
Bombay, Nov. 17, 1884.

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Two Buttons, Rs. 2-8 per pair.
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Do. 5b. do. do. do. front and side bands to buckle and draw up	8 0
Do. 5. Drab Satin, scarlet Raised front and side, to button in front	7 0
Do. 6. Best Moleskin, &c., as No. 3	8 8
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Phosphate of Lime is the substance most necessary to life; indispensable for the formation and nutriment of the bony system, as for the transformation of food into muscular fibre. Without it the body wastes away, and it is to supply the lack of Phosphate of Lime that Dusart's Syrup is so useful. It is of inestimable benefit for CACHECTIC, WEAK and OLD PEOPLE, and RICKETY CHILDREN, who find in it the CALCAREOUS ELEMENTS entering into the CONSTITUTION OF THE BONES. Well adapted to LADIES in the FAMILY-WAY, WET NURSES (whose milk it enriches) and to stop CHILDREN'S DIARRHŒA.

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For freight and passage apply to
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TENDERS are invited for the supply at Bellary of the following BRIDGE TIMBERS of THOROUGHLY SEASONED TEAK, sawn and square, to be straight, free from cracks, knots and flaws. The Timber will be inspected and passed in Bombay or Bellary.
Prices to include cost of carriage to Bellary.

836	Pieces	12'-0" by 8" by 6"
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Tenders to be addressed to the Chief Engineer S. M. Railway Poona on or before 27th November.
One-third of the Timber of each size to be delivered at Bellary by 1st January, 1885, and the remainder before 31st January, 1885.

ARMY CLOTHING DEPARTMENT, MADRAS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to noon of MONDAY, the 19th January, 1885, for the supply during the official year 1885-86, of certain articles hitherto obtained from England but now required of local manufacture or indigenous origin.
Tenders will only be received on printed forms obtainable on application at the Clothing Agency, where a list of the articles required with their present Government Rates, may also be had.
For further particulars, vide *Fort St. George Gazette* dated 11th November, 1881, Pages 1849 to 1852, Part II.
A. T. SEARLE, Colonel,
Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing.
Army Clothing Department, Madras, 14th Nov.

COMMISSARIAT NOTICE.

WITH reference to the notice published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, No. 71, dated 4th November, 1884, page 487, SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Commissariat Storekeeper-General, Madras, until 12 o'clock noon, on the 8th December, 1884, for the supply of 12,000 lbs. of SOAP COUNTRY for washing public cloth. Samples should accompany Tender, the soap must be well made. Each Tender must be accompanied by a sum of Rs. 40, besides earnest money, being the fee of the Government Chemical Examiner for analysing the samples forwarded with their Tender. The Contractor will be bound to deliver free of charge 25 per cent of soap in addition to the amount paid for, to cover drysse in store.
(By order of the Commissary General.)
A. CLARK KENNEDY, Major,
Commissariat Storekeeper General.
Commissariat Storekeeper-General's Office, Madras, November 12, 1884.

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TO LET, with immediate possession, a very desirable four-storeyed HOUSE near the European General Hospital, facing the sea, could be had in parts or whole. Also each floor could be had for Rs. 100 a month. For further particulars apply to
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GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.

TEAK LOG TIMBER.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of 100 tons of MOULM IN TEAK SQUARE LOGS not less than 18 inches square and 30 feet long, delivered at the Company's Locomotive Depot, Parel, Bombay, at the rate and on the conditions given in the specification.
The specification and forms of Tender may be obtained on application at the Storekeeper's office, Parel.
Tenders must be sealed and addressed "Tender for Teak Timber," and delivered at the Company's Offices, Elphinstone Circle, Fort, Bombay, by 12 noon, gun-fire, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th instant, after which hour no tender will be received.
Tenders will not be received unless accompanied separately by a deposit of Rs. 1,000 in cash or Government Promissory Notes.
The Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.
ALFRED KING,
Storekeeper.
Storekeeper's Office, Parel, 11th November, 1884.

NOTICE

IS hereby given that the ANNUAL AUCTION SALES of TIMBER in the above Ghat Depots of Kanara will take place as under:—
1. The sale of 11,420 khandis of Teak, 203 khandis of Blackwood, and 261 khandis of Jungle-wood at the Haliyal Depôt will commence on MONDAY, the 8th December, 1884.
2. The sale of 228 khandis of Teak, 32 khandis of Blackwood, and 934 khandis of Jungle-wood at the Kanigeri and other branch depôts in the Yellapur Taluka, will commence on TUESDAY, the 6th January, 1885.
3. The sale of 1,112 khandis of Teak and 930 khandis of Jungle-wood at the Singanhalli Depôt, near Mundgod, will commence on THURSDAY, the 15th January, 1885.
2. For particulars of the first sale apply to the Divisional Forest Officer, Haliyal, of the second to the Divisional Forest Officer, Yellapur, and of the third to the Divisional Forest Officer, Sirsi.
3. It is probable that the Eastern Deccan Railway between Hoobli and the G. I. P. Station at Hoodgi will be open to traffic by the 1st February next. Average distance between Hubli and the timber Depôts, 35 miles and over good roads.
W. PEYTON, Colonel,
Conservator of Forests, S. C.
Conservator's Office, S. C., Camp Yellapur, 11th Nov., 1884.

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BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Band, E. Y. Regiment, Colaba, at 4-45 p.m.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived on the 15th:—Avoca (s), from Zanzibar, Yesterday:—Cathay (s), from Sydney.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed on the 15th:—Sailed (s), for China, &c.; U. S. Tennessee, Rangoon, &c.; Knight of St. Patrick (s), Dunkirk; Selandia (s), Antwerp; Bessie Morris (s), Genoa; and Clan Cameron (s), Marseilles.

MUSIC AT COLABA.—The following programme of music will be played by the band of the East Yorkshire Regiment at Colaba, commencing at 4-45 p.m.:—

March	Schubert Suppe
Overture	Rip Van Winkle Chassaigne
Selection	La Mascotte Waldteufel
Song	Adelaide Beethoven
Polka	Jolly Vagrants Meusier

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

PRINCE'S DOCK.—The s.s. Sutlej left the dock on Saturday.

FAIR.—The annual fair held at Wasiwady commences to-day, and will continue for five successive days.

A NEW TOWER OF SILENCE.—The ceremony of laying the foundations of a new Tower of Silence at Callian will be performed on Sunday morning next.

ADDRESS TO LORD RIPON.—At a meeting of the Committee of the Native Piecegoods Merchants' Association, held recently under the presidency of Mr. Damodhur Thakersey Mooljee, it was unanimously resolved to present an address to Lord Ripon, on behalf of the Association, on his lordship's arrival in Bombay.

MATRICULATION EXAMINATION.—The Matriculation Examination of the University of Bombay commences to-day. There are in all 2,117 candidates, of whom 1,695 will be examined in Bombay, 373 in Poona, 317 in Ahmedabad, 515 in Belgaum, and 77 in Kurrachee. Of the candidates, 1,561 are Hindoos, 428 Parsees, 96 Christians, 28 Mahomedans, and 4 Jews, including 25 girls.

THEFT.—Kullian Abdoola, a reputed thief, and Abdool Raymon Ahmed All were on Saturday convicted by Mr. P. Ryan of stealing two sarrees from the shop of Chapsey Trikumjee at Pydowne. The first prisoner was sentenced to one year's, and the other to six months' rigorous imprisonment. The second prisoner was further convicted upon two other charges of theft of wearing apparel belonging to two

LIVELY MEETING OF THE GORDON MILLS.

An adjourned extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the above Company was held on Saturday at the office of Messrs. D. M. Petit Sons and Co., Hornby-road, Mr. C. H. B. Forbes presiding. The following resolution was the subject of discussion :—

That the regulations of the company shall be, and the same are hereby amended by adding thereto the following regulation :—7a. The company may, in accordance with the provisions of "The Indian Companies' Act 1882," from time to time reduce its capital, whether paid up, or uncalled, or unpaid up, and whether the reduction of the number of its shares or of their nominal value respectively or otherwise, and may conceal any unalloted shares or lost capital or any capital unrepresented by available assets, and may pay off any capital which may be in excess of the wants of the company, and the company shall have power to consolidate or sub-divide its shares or any of them into shares of a larger or smaller amount. The following directors' report had been circulated among the shareholders :—

As desired by the shareholders at their extraordinary general meeting on the 4th day of November, 1883, we now beg to circulate for their information printed copies of the audited balance sheet and profit and loss account of the company for the six months ending 30th June, 1884, from which the shareholders will observe that there has been a loss of Rs. 52,963-9-9 which includes the sum of Rs. 17,806-3-1 for interest on the loans received on capital account. Your directors regret very much the unprofitable result of the working of the mill. When they found that there was a loss of Rs. 52,963-9-9 in the accounts for the six months ending 30th June last, the directors were inclined to think that as the mill had begun working with only a few spindles in January last, and other portions of the machinery were being fitted up at the same time, the result might not be wholly attributable to the working. They therefore considered it desirable to test the working of the mill for three months further, for which reason they have made up the accounts of the company for the three months ending 30th September, 1884. These, the directors are sorry to say, show a further loss of Rs. 31,294-10-11, which includes the amount of Rs. 15,632-3-11 for interest on the loans received on capital account. As the latter accounts have not been audited, the directors have not printed and circulated them among the shareholders, but will submit them at the adjourned extraordinary general meeting to be held on the 15th November, 1884. The losses sustained in working are mainly owing to the yarn market being very dull on account of the Chinese war, the prices of yarn being very low compared with the prices of cotton which have shown no corresponding fall, and to the large amount of interest on the working capital, the yarns being for a long time quite unsaleable. To these items of loss must also be added the heavy amount of interest on loans received on capital account, which had not been fully subscribed.

The Chairman said this meeting was adjourned on the 4th November until to-day at the desire of some of the shareholders, in order that they might see the accounts of the company before making up their minds whether to vote for or against the special resolutions that the meeting has been convened to pass. The agents have now circulated the accounts up to 30th June, and the accounts up to the 30th September, which are now laid on the table, have been at the disposal of any shareholder who wanted to inspect them for the last ten days. So far as I know not a single shareholder has called to enquire into or examine the accounts. I must remind you, gentlemen, that it is not within the province of this meeting to discuss the accounts. The meeting has been called for a special purpose, namely, that of passing certain special resolutions, and the discussion of any other matter would be irrelevant. I therefore beg to propose the passing of the special resolution, which has been seconded by Mr. Hirabhai, and will thank those members who are in favor of it to hold up their hands.

Mr. Motiram Bhagoobhoy said that the resolution adjourning the meeting on the last occasion had been passed conditionally. The shareholders were to be satisfied with the accounts of the company before they passed the resolution before the meeting.

The Chairman.—There was no condition whatever made. The meeting was adjourned in order that the shareholders might receive the accounts to make up their minds whether or not to pass the resolution. There was no other condition made by the board.

Mr. Motiram insisted that the accounts should be discussed by the shareholders previous to their discussing the resolution.

The Chairman.—You talk simple nonsense. The meeting cannot discuss any accounts whatever.

Mr. Motiram.—You will be obliged to sit in decision unless you permit us to go into the accounts. You wish us to act with our eyes blind-folded, but we won't do so.

The Chairman observed that if the shareholders wished to consider the accounts they must ask the directors to convene a meeting for the purpose, and their wishes would be complied with. It would be illegal according to the articles of association to discuss the accounts that day. The notice convening the meeting distinctly stated that the shareholders were called to pass the resolution that had been submitted to them at the previous meeting. He was himself anxious to meet with the wishes of the shareholders, but he could not do anything which was irregular and illegal.

Mr. Kessewlal Nurbheram said that he understood that the accounts were on the table and that he could speak upon the accounts.

The Chairman—Not in this case.

Mr. Kessewlal—But that was the resolution come to at the last meeting.

The Chairman said that it was stated at the last meeting, that any shareholder who wished to look into the accounts or be acquainted with the state of affairs of the company were to apply to the agents, he would have every facility given to him, but not a single shareholder attended the office or made any enquiry whatever during the interval.

Mr. Jamsetjee Pestonjee said that the shareholders were under the impression that they were called to discuss the accounts that day.

The Chairman said that he was sorry that Mr. Jamsetjee was under such an impression. If he liked he (the Chairman) would refer the matter to the Company's solicitor, who was present at the meeting, and who would explain that the accounts could not be discussed.

Mr. Framjee Shapoorjee (solicitor) said that the directors were going to make a very material alteration in the articles of association, and there was not a single argument brought forward in support of the extraordinary resolution which they wished the shareholders to pass. He was surprised that the Chairman had been advised by the company's solicitor not to allow the shareholders to discuss the accounts laid before the meeting. It would be a simple farce to have the accounts printed at the expense of the company and circulated if they were not to be considered and discussed by the shareholders. The chairman had further rebuked the shareholders for not having taken the trouble to attend the office of the agents to look into the accounts. So far as the newspaper reports of the proceedings of the last meeting went there was not one word in the chairman's speech to satisfy the shareholders that the passing of the resolution would in any way be beneficial to the company. If such a clause as the one proposed to be added in the articles of association had been originally inserted, it might be that many of the shareholders would have abstained from having anything to do with the company. The shareholders were not a bit wiser that day than they were about fifteen days ago. He understood from the report that the directors did not desire to exercise their power of reducing the capital just at present, and it might be that they would not do so for years to come. When the directors themselves did not say that there was an immediate need of passing the resolution, the chairman would please state were was the necessity for the shareholders to assent to the resolution.

The Chairman said that if Mr. Hormusjee had been present at the last meeting he would have heard all the reasons he gave for passing the resolution. He did not for the present propose to go over them again. His reasons had appeared in the newspaper reports of that day.

Mr. Nanabhoy Byramjee Jeejeebhoy said that on the last occasion some doubt appeared to exist in the minds of the shareholders whether or not they should pass the resolution, and they accordingly with the view to satisfy themselves as to the necessity of so doing asked for accounts, and they were submitted to them. It was now for the shareholders to pass or reject the resolution. The discussion of the accounts according to legal advice was out of question.

Mr. Motiram.—The shareholders asked for accounts up to 30th September, which have not been submitted to them.

Mr. Nanabhoy.—You are right there.

Mr. Dinshaw Manockjee Petit said that the resolution, if carried, would simply authorise the shareholders to reduce the capital of the company whenever they wished to do so. There was no proposition before the meeting to reduce the capital just at present, but that they might do so whenever they considered it advisable to do so. The resolution before the meeting simply asked that an addition should be made to the articles of association.

Mr. Hormusjee—But it will shake the credit of the company at once.

Mr. Jamsetjee Pestonjee said that the rates of the shares had already gone down. False rumours in connection with the company had been purposely circulated in the bazaar, and the shareholders were being mined.

Mr. Nanabhoy—Just name the parties circulating the rumour.

Mr. Jamsetjee—I do not wish to go into personalities.

Mr. Nanabhoy—Then you have not the courage of your opinion.

Mr. Motiram said that the brokers said that they were instructed to sell shares, and they sold them for as low a rate as Rs. 250.

Mr. Dinshaw said that he had got some shares in mortgage, and he could not help selling them at the desire of the mortgagor.

Mr. Kessewlal—There is no case made out for the passing of the resolution.

Mr. Dinshaw said that the directors were of opinion that as accounts up to 30th September had not been audited they should not be circulated amongst the shareholders, although they were quite welcome to look into them at the office of the company.

Mr. Kessewlal said that as the accounts asked by the shareholders up to the 30th September had not been submitted, the meeting could not proceed with the business, and they had better adjourn. He did not think that the shareholders should abide by the advice of the Company's solicitor, however able he might be. There was no question of law to be considered.

After some discussion Mr. Kessewlal put a formal proposition for the adjournment of the meeting for discussion of accounts.

The Chairman declined to put the resolution to the meeting, stating that it would be irregular to do so.

Mr. Motiram in seconding Mr. Kessewlal's proposition observed that the ruling of the Chairman was tantamount to keeping the shareholders ignorant of the affairs of the concern in which they were partners. He asked them to pass the resolution with their eyes closed. He thought that the meeting should be adjourned for another month.

The Chairman remarked that Mr. Motiram was talking nonsense.

Mr. Motiram—What nonsense have I said?

Mr. Hormusjee—I do not consider the Chairman is justified in making such remarks to a bona fide shareholder.

A European shareholder said that the resolution passed at the last meeting was to the effect that accounts made up to 30th September should be circulated, and as that had not been done, one of the provisions of that resolution had not been fulfilled. As there was such a strong desire on the part of the shareholders to go into accounts, it would be advisable to dissolve the meeting and call another for the special purpose of considering the accounts, prior to the question of reducing the capital of the company. (Hear, hear and applause.)

The chairman observed that the shareholders must understand that he had no wish to prevent them from discussing or looking into the accounts (hear, hear), but he could not possibly allow the mixing up of two things with which they had nothing whatever to do. He proposed that if they wished to discuss the accounts they should call an entirely new meeting. No unworthy motive should be imputed to him. It was, on the contrary, his wish that the shareholders should make themselves acquainted with the accounts. (Cries of "thanks," "thanks.")

The European shareholder said that he agreed with Mr. Hormusjee that if they passed the resolution they would shake the credit of the company, and the shares would necessarily go down. It would be unwise to pass any resolution that would be detrimental to the interests of the company, and until they know what the price of the new shares would be. The accounts should be submitted not only for inspection but discussion. The directors and agents should offer no hindrance, but on the contrary afford every possible facility to the shareholders to discuss the accounts. It would be most unwise to pass the resolution before discussing the accounts. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Lynch (the company's solicitor) said that he was allowed by the Chairman to make a few remarks to the meeting. He thought that there was some misapprehension existing in the minds of the shareholders as to the object for which the meeting had been convened. He advised the Chairman that it was not right.

Mr. Kessewlal.—There is no question of law involved. We don't want Mr. Lynch to advise us. (Laughter).

Mr. Lynch.—The chairman asked me to—

Mr. Motiram.—No one except shareholders are allowed to attend or address the meeting. Mr. Lynch is not a shareholder. (Hear, hear and cries of "order" "order.")

Mr. Lynch.—I am simply going to explain to you and not to advise that—

Some of the shareholders here made a great noise so as to drown Mr. Lynch's voice and objected to his addressing the meeting.

Mr. Nanabhoy Byramjee said that Mr. Lynch was the solicitor of the company, and the Chairman was quite competent to allow him to address the meeting.

Mr. Motiram observed that none but shareholders could address the meeting. Mr. Lynch was allowed to sit in the room as a matter of courtesy. (Laughter and applause.)

Mr. Kessewlal.—I want to know if the solicitor represents only the directors or the shareholders as well?

Mr. Lynch—It is my duty as solicitor of the—

Mr. Kessewlal—We very much respect you, Mr. Lynch, but we do not want your advice. (Laughter and confusion.)

The meeting became here rather uproarious, and would not allow Mr. Lynch to address them.

Mr. Lynch—I insist upon making a statement.

Mr. Motiram—We won't allow you to make one. (Laughter and applause.)

Mr. Lynch—I appeal to the Chairman.

A shareholder—Appeal to the chairman if you like, but we won't allow you to speak. You are not a shareholder.

The Chairman—It is necessary that Mr. Lynch should be heard. I rule that the company's solicitor can address the meeting.

Mr. Motiram—You have no power to make such a ruling. Mr. Lynch was allowed to sit at the table only by courtesy.

Mr. Lynch observed that it was the practice to allow a company's solicitor to be present at their meetings. It was discourteous on the part of shareholders to object to his addressing them.

Several shareholders protested against the Chairman's ruling.

The Chairman—Very well, your protest will recorded.

Mr. Kessewlal—Please record that the shareholders do not require the solicitor's advice.

Mr. Nanabhoy—Nonsense.

The Chairman—I rule that the Company's solicitor can address the meeting.

Mr. Motiram—You may as well rule that the shareholders do pay forthwith a call of Rs. 500 per share. (Laughter and applause.) You are assuming powers which you don't possess. (Applause and confusion.)

Mr. Lynch again began to address the meeting when Mr. Kessewlal said, be good enough not to give us advice. (Laughter.)

Mr. Lynch—I am not going to give you advice.

Mr. Motiram—We don't want to hear you. You may address the Chairman and directors, but certainly not the shareholders.

Mr. Hormusjee enquired if Mr. Lynch was justified in addressing the meting against the wish of the majority of the shareholders?

Mr. Lynch—Mr. Hormusjee had asked him a question, and the meeting would allow him to answer it, because he had put it in a very invidious way.

Mr. Hormusjee—Not in the least.

Mr. Lynch.—You say that a great body of the shareholders do not wish it?

Mr. Motiram.—Yes, that is the case; take votes.

Mr. Lynch observed that he had a right to be heard as a matter of justice to him. Mr. Hormusjee said with very great and eloquent animation that he was surprised that the Chairman did not allow the accounts to be considered. He (Mr. Lynch) begged leave to say that it was he who had a right to express his surprise that Mr. Hormusjee, a gentleman possessing such an accurate knowledge of the law, should have made that statement, because he must be perfectly aware that this meeting was not competent to discuss the accounts placed before them that day. Mr. Lynch then referred to a particular section in the articles of association when—

Mr. Motiram again interrupting Mr. Lynch observed that the shareholders were not inclined to hear him.

Mr. Lynch hoped he would be allowed to continue his remarks.

The Chairman.—Let Mr. Lynch finish his remarks.

Mr. Kesewlal.—We don't wish that your time should be wasted any longer, we don't want any advice.

Mr. Lynch.—I put it to you.

Mr. Motiram.—I don't want to hear. If you persist in doing so I will leave the meeting.

Mr. Motiram in order to show that he was true to his word got up from his chair, put the bundle of papers which he had under his arms, and was about to leave the room, when a few other shareholders, who all shouted out "let us go."

Another European shareholder advised Mr. Motiram and his associates to stay and hear out Mr. Lynch. He asked who was going to pay Mr. Lynch? Would the money go out of the pocket of the directors or the shareholders?

Mr. Jamsetjee—That goes out of the shareholders' money.

Mr. Lynch said that he did not wish to use any strong expression, but it was certainly not unbecoming to say that it was very discourteous on the part of some of the shareholders to decline to hear him. They did not in the first place know what he had to say in the matter.

Mr. Motiram—You have no right to speak like that; what do you mean by calling us discourteous. (Laughter and applause.)

Mr. Lynch :—I may say that you are discourteous. I congratulate myself that I have not been betrayed into more stronger expression. Article 6 of the articles of the Association prevent you from discussing.

Mr. Motiram and a few other shareholders again got up from their seats with the view to leave the meeting saying "We don't wish to hear Mr. Lynch."

Mr. Rahimtoola Khairaj again persuaded the shareholders to resume their seat and they did so.

Mr Lynch—I says,—

Mr. Kessewlal—We don't wish to hear your funeral oration on the affairs of the company. (Laughter and applause.)

A European shareholder asked if it was competent for the Chairman to rule anything which was contrary to the sense of the meeting.

Mr. Lynch said that if the majority wished to do that which was unjust, the Chairman was quite competent to rule as he did. Speaking to the resolution Mr. Lynch said that some misapprehension seemed to exist that it would effect a reduction of capital. But there was nothing of the kind; it would simply leave a door open to the shareholders by which they could bring about a reduction of the capital should they hereafter think it proper to do so. Mr. Lynch proceeding said now I ask you gentlemen, how can it possibly be argued to have that—

Mr. Kessewlal—We don't want a lawyer who pretends to give advice, and ask us questions. I don't know why Mr. Lynch should ask us questions.

The Chairman—Nobody interrupted you when you addressed the meeting; it is not fair that you should interrupt others.

Mr. Kessewlal—I am a shareholder, while Mr. Lynch is not.

Mr. Lynch made several attempts to address the meeting, but he was frequently interrupted, the meeting growing disorderly as time advanced.

The Chairman after consulting with Mr. Lynch proposed that the meeting should be adjourned for the consideration of accounts. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Kessewlal—But we proposed this a long while ago, and then you ruled against us. (Applause.)

Mr. Hormusjee referring to Mr. Lynch's remarks observed that it was an extraordinary decision of the Chairman to rule against the sense of the meetingd.

The Chairman—I am the best judge of the sense of the meeting. We have a large majority (pointing tothe proxies) in our favour. If I take the sense of the meeting it is in my favour.

Mr. Motiram—You don't hold proxixies for that purpose.

Mr. Hormusjee said that the shareholders had not the least idea when they executed the proxies that they would be used for such a purpose with very great deference to Mr. Lynch and his learning, the (Mr. Hormusjee) differed from the interpretan that he had put that the shareholders had no power to discuss the accounts. It would be a complete farce if the directors printed and circulated the accounts and then gag the shareholders' mouths to say that they were not to discuss them. Before they passed the resolution the shareholders should take all the surrounding circumstances into consideration. It must be stated to the honour and credit of Mr. Nanabhoy Byramjee, one of the directors, that he frankly admitted that it was resolved on the last occasion to print and circulate accounts up to 30th September, but that for some reason or other not submitted to the shareholders. (Applause.) He failed to understand, therefore, the ruling of the Chairman that it was not competent for the shareholders to discuss accounts.) (Hear, hear and applause.)

Mr. Dinshaw asked if the shareholders wished the accounts to be audited.

Mr. Motiram—Your signature to the accounts will do. You have got a competent accountant to make up accounts, and the shareholders would be quite content with your signature appended to it.

Mr. Kesswlal added that the meeting should be dissolved, as the accounts made up to 30th September and asked by the shareholders at their last meeting had not been circulated among them; and that a report of the directors accompanying such accounts should be made giving reasons for the proposed reduction of the capital.

Mr. Motiram seconded the resolution.

Mr. Nanabhoy pointed out that Mr. Kesswlal was not qualified to make a proposition as his name had not been registered for two months according to the articiess of association, though he could attend and address the meeting.

The Chairman ruled that Mr. Kesswlal could not raise, but he could make a proposition. He suggested, however, that in order to avoid the possibility of any further objection some other shareholder would propose the same.

Mr. Tribhowandas Dwarkadas then formally proposed the resolution.

Mr. Nanabhoy Byramjee moved an amendment to the effect that this meeting be dissolved, and accounts up to 30th September should be printed and circulated amongst shareholders, and that a fresh meeting be convened on or about the 6th December next to consider and discuss the same.

Mr. Dinshaw was against dissolving the meeting. He said it was in the interest of the shareholders to adjourn and not dissolve the meeting. The longer the delay the worse would be the position of the company.

Mr. Eduljee Nusserwanjee Settna seconded the amendment.

The amendment was put to the vote, and the Chairman declared it to be carried by a majority of 17 against 13.

A great deal of warm discussion took place as to the counting of votes. The Chairman at the suggestion of shareholders counted the votes on three different occasions with slightly varying members, but without affecting the result. There were a great many sight-seers in the meeting room who were requested to leave. The last result as obtained was 18 votes in favour and 15 against.

The meeting then broke up.

DEATH OF THE REV. J BRUNNER, S. J.

We have the sad duty to record the death at St. Xavier's College of the Rev. Joseph Brunner, S. J., who had for so many years held an honoured place among the Fathers of the Bombay Mission. His death was no unexpected calamity, for he was full of years and had long been preparing for his departure from this life in which he had laboured so earnestly in the cause of religion. Father Brunner was born in the Canton of Soleure in Switzerland on the 26th of June, 1808; so he had already entered upon his eightieth year some months previous to his death. His having attained that patriarchal age is the more surprising when it is known that in his early years he was of very delicate constitution and that the doctors actually pronounced him to be consumptive. His religious life extended over half a century, for he was admitted into the Society of Jesus on the 8th of October 1830. We remember how, four years ago, the anniversary of the day's event was celebrated by the members of the Society in Bombay. Of the earlier portion of Father Brunner's career we unfortunately have no record; we know only that he was one of the band of Swiss Jesuits who, driven from their native country, went to the United States and after working there for some years were sent to found the mission of their Order in Bombay. In America Father Brunner led the life of a parish-priest of the type once very common in that part of the world. Many were the anecdotes he used to relate of his experiences and adventures there, and these must have been pretty numerous considering that it was frequently his duty to ride forty or sixty miles a day to visit the scattered members of his extensive parish. He arrived in Bombay in 1857 and began his Indian career as a teacher in the old St. Mary's Institution at Mazagon and subsequently as professor of Physics and Mathematics in the Seminary at Bandora. In 1864 he was appointed Superior of St. Mary's at Byculla and continued as such till the middle of 1866, after which he worked for a short term as military chaplain at Dapoolla and next as parish-priest at Kirkee. As Rector of St. Xavier's, Father Brunner was most successful in winning the esteem and affection of those under his charge, being particularly remarkable for his gentle and kindly disposition. For some few years he was Spiritual Father of St. Vincent's School at Poona the deceased was appointed Spiritual Father at St. Xavier's in 1870, where he passed the remaining fourteen years of his life, not in the leisure to which his long service would have entitled him, but in real hard labour continued almost to his last year.

About a month ago he began to fail rapidly in strength and he calmly expired at 3½ o'clock on Thursday morning of mild age rather than of any definite disease, this day was the feast of St. Stanislaus Kostka, for whom he always had a special devotion. The office of the Dead which was held at St. Xavier's College previous to his funeral was largely attended, all the Bombay clergy being present who could possibly be so, and numbers of the laity including many of Father Brunner's old pupils. Father Beiderlinden, S. J., presided. Mr. J. C. D'Aguiar placed a wreath of immortelles on the coffin. The funeral took place at St. Peter's Cathedral, his Lordship the Bishop conducting the service in the presence of a large gathering of the clergy of both jurisdictions and laity. Though long expected the death of so useful and so esteemed a priest was unexpected and will be felt by many as a loss which cannot be easily repaired.—*Bombay Catholic Examiner.*

BENGAL.

Native Munificence.—The thanks of the Bengal Government are given in the last *Calcutta Gazette* to Babus Ishurprosad Gorga and Jogotiprosad Gorga, proprietors of the Maisadul estate in the district of Midnapur, for their offer to pay from Rs. 2,000 to Rs. 2,500 for the construction of a suitable house for the accommodation of the girls' school in the town of Midnapur.—*Englishman.*

Obituary.—It is with great regret that we learn that Shahzadah Ahmed Hulimozaman, the only surviving son of his Highness the late Prime Gholam Mahomed, grandson of the late Tippoo Sultan and father of Shahzadah Mahomed Furrokh Shah, breathed his last on Wednesday morning at Chinsurah at the age of seventy-two. The Shahzadah's kindness towards the poor, and his courtesy to those with whom he was brought into contact, had endeared him much to those who knew him, and his loss will be deeply felt. His body was removed from Chinsurah by rail the same evening, and interred in the family cemetery at the Tollygunj Mosque at midnight.—*Id.*

An Unaccountable Death.—An inquest was held on Thursday evening touching the death of a native, a Chetty by caste, who was lately in the employ of Messrs. Kerr Taruck and Co., merchants of this city. The man was suddenly attacked with pains in the stomach, and his master, having been informed of the same, sent for Dr. R. L. Dhur, who, on examining the deceased, prescribed four doses of medicine. On taking the first dose he became worse, when he was removed to the hospital where he died soon after admission. The medicine prescribed by the native doctor was then made over to the police, who sent it along with the contents of the stomach to the Chemical Examiner for analysis. The Chemical Examiner, however, stated that he found traces of morphia in the contents of the stomach, and beyond that there was nothing to indicate the cause from which the deceased had died. This statement was corroborated by Dr. Crawford, the Resident Surgeon of the Medical College, who treated the deceased on the day he was admitted into hospital, and a native doctor who held the *post mortem* examination. Dr. R. L. Dhur, who attended the patient in his house, stated that the latter was suffering from colic pains, and he prescribed a mixture composed of liquor morphia and hydrate of chloral. The deceased probably died from the shock of the pain. The jury, on the above evidence, returned a verdict to the effect that deceased had died from natural causes.—*Indian Daily News.*

MADRAS.

The Private Secretary to the Maharajah.—We have good authority for stating that Mr. W. A. Porter, Private Secretary to the Maharajah will soon retire, and that he will be succeeded by Major G. M. Martin. It would be difficult to make a better selection than the one which, we are told, has been made, and His Highness is fortunate in having secured the services of this gentleman. Before his retirement, he held several high offices in the Mysore Commission, and he is thoroughly acquainted with the province, the people, and the officials. He was very popular when he was in the service with all classes of the community, and we feel sure that he will be equally popular when he takes up his new appointment. His Highness is to be congratulated on the selection he has made, and that such a capable official will succeed the present able Private Secretary.—*Bangalore Post.*

Dr. de Jongh's Light-Brown Cod Liver Oil.—Pre-eminently the Cod Liver Oil for use in India and in warm climates, Joseph J. Hope, Esq., late Staff-Surgeon, Army, writes: "I found during my Indian experience that the worth and character of Dr. de Jongh's Light-Brown Cod Liver Oil remained unchanged by tropical heat or foreign climate, and it was, from its uniformity of character particularly adapted for long-continued administration. The Oil of Dr. de Jongh places in every one's reach a reliable and valuable remedy, one that cannot be too widely recognized." Sold only in capsuled imperial half-pints, pints, and quarts, by all chemists, druggists, and storekeepers. Sole Consignees, Ansar, Harford and Co., 95, High Holborn, London.

N-W PROVINCES, CUDH AND PUNJAUB.

Installing the Rajah of Chumba.—The installation of the young Rajah of Chumba took place on Nov. 12. Colonel Macmahon, in investing the Rajah with sovereign powers, expressed a hope that the Rajah would justify the confidence of the Government in entrusting him with ruling power at the age of 18 instead of 21. The ceremony was very successful. The town and neighbouring hills were illuminated at night. At the dinner given the same evening, the health of the Rajah was proposed by Colonel Macmahon, and responded to in splendid style by the Rajah.—*Indian Daily News.*

Proposed Public Library at Lahore.—The Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab has appointed a Committee to consider and advise upon the proposed formation of a public library at Lahore. The Committee consists of Colonel Wace, Commissioner of Agriculture and Settlements, President, and Mr. C. L. Tupper, Secretary to Government, Mr. Denzil Ibbetson, Director of Public Instruction, Mr. E. W. Parker, Registrar of the Punjab University, Mr. S. E. Wheeler, and Pundit Ram Narain, members. It is satisfactory to find that the Government is prepared to sanction a grant from provincial funds, and if this is supplemented by fees and contributions from private individuals, and by grants from such bodies as the University and Municipality, it should be possible to form the nucleus of a library before the next hot weather comes round. The Government of the North-Western Provinces devotes some Rs. 3,000 a year, from the proceeds of the Magh Mela at Allahabad, to the maintenance of the Allahabad public library; and a similar sum here would go a long way towards keeping up a Lahore Library.—*Civil and Military Gazette.*

The late Nawab of Lohara.—I regret to have to record the death of Mirza Ala-ud-din, late Nawab of Lohara. This gentleman had sometime since thrown down the reigns of Government, and had settled himself comfortably in Delhi, to pass his remaining years in peace. He was known far and wide to many English gentlemen, and I do not doubt that the news of his death will be received by many of your readers with sorrow. He was, in many ways, a long way ahead of his time, and for that reason looked upon by many native gentlemen as somewhat eccentric. He would dine with Europeans without hesitation, and on several occasions dined on guest nights with the officers of the 54th Dorsets when they were in Delhi. To do this openly, and to enjoy the conversation of Europeans, was in itself sufficient to mark him among natives as decidedly eccentric. He was a most amusing old gentleman, full of conversation and joke, with a very quaint and old fashioned way of saying things. As regards the state of the crops I am happy to have to report favourably on all points. In the northern part of the district a certain amount of damage has been done by the late heavy rains and the floods caused by them, but on the whole the agricultural prospects are decidedly good. The young wheat is everywhere coming up and the rabbi promises to be a bumper harvest.—*Civil and Military Gazette.*

SERICULTURE IN INDIA.

The Chamber of Commerce of Lyons has, on the recommendation of Monsieur N. Rondot, established a laboratory for the study of silk-worms and silks of the whole world, the chief object of the undertaking being to complete the nomenclature of all the silk-producing family, and to describe scientifically each species, variety, sub-variety, and race, while at the same time determining very precisely the qualities of the cocoons and of the silks. On the completion of the experiment the results will be made public, and will, no doubt, prove of immense value to all silk-producing countries, and especially to India and private individuals who pursue the study of sericulture.

In order, therefore, to bring the project to a successful termination, Monsieur Rondot has, as regards India, addressed the Government of India on behalf of the Chamber, forwarding at the same time a copy of its circular and *Questionnaire* and explanatory notes in which he asks for co-operation from India in the series of studies of sericulture which the Chamber intends to prosecute, and requests that the Chamber of Commerce may be supplied with selected specimens of all the silk-producing worms of India, together with samples of eggs, moths, cocoons, and silks resulting therefrom, and chiefly of those species known by the names *Bombyx textor, B. fortunates, B. croesi, B. sinensis, and B. arracanensis*, which furnish India with its crops of cocoons, and of which little or nothing is known in France or Italy. Besides this, the information required by the *Questionnaire*, which embodies two parts (the one concerning the wild and domesticated silk-worms and the other the species of semi-domesticated and wild worms), will, he states, be found of great value. He adds that the Chamber will be glad to refund all expenses which may be incurred. All persons who are therefore, interested in this study will, on application to the Government of India in the Revenue and Agricultural Department, be supplied with further particulars on the subject.

TALE OF THE OUDH AND ROHILKUND RAILWAY.

The following skit appears in the *Pioneer* :—He was a Member of Council; and he wished to go by the Oudh and Rohilkund Railway from Moradabad to Bareilly.

The few friends whom the events of 1883 had left him, tried to dissuade him. They reminded him of his limited term of office. They spoke of the dangers of prolonged residence in the plains. They pointed out that as one of the Governmen at Simla, it was not customary that he should see anything of India. He replied, simply, that he had subscribed to an enlightened railway policy and that he desired to go from Moradabad to Bareilly.

He got out in the course of a week and walked. He said to himself, "We seem to be travelling rather slowly, but I think I shall enjoy the trip." He observed that the train was wholly composed of goods wagons, and he asked the guard, who was a brisk young man, what was in the wagons. The guard answered, "Provisions." He said, "Why provisions?" The guard shouted, "To eat." He replied, "Why to eat?" but the train had dropped out of sight. He sat down presently to wait for the train. It was fine weather, and he watched the season passing. The wheat was ripening when the train picked him up; and the rains set in at Chandausi.

He had written to a friend to meet him at Chandausi. There was a letter waiting his arrival. His friend wrote that the joke was good; but that grey hairs do not become a jester. "When you receive this letter," he added, "you will have carried your joke far enough; let it carry you back to where it came from." He answered by telegram himself. "I subscribed to an enlightened railway policy and I purpose to see an illustration of it in this journey from Moradabad to Bareilly."

Time passed. The Boundary Commission had twisted a rope of sand from Sarsawa to Khwaja Saleh; had consumed all their liquor and liqueurs, and had returned for more to India. A Criminal Procedure Code, abolishing face and race distinctions, had been carried by acclamation. *The Indian Mirror* had embraced a high-handed bureaucracy. Lord Ripon's statue had been placed in the Council Chamber of the Defence Association. Mr. Atkins had contracted a matrimonial alliance with the whole of the native population. Early infants had ceased to marry; and widows had married without ceasing. He arrived at Bareilly.

He had written to a Rajah for a carriage-and pair to await his arrival. The Rajah awaited his arrival. He found a coachman's *os coccygis* and a dust-heap. In the dust-heap was a letter addressed to him. It was written by the Rajah, in low spirits. The Rajah took leave of him, and committed him to posterity. He said he was of very advanced age, and had no hope to live long. He hoped he would reach Bareilly. The coachman, a young man, had orders to wait.

He had known Bareilly as a large town, and he searched for it throughout the neighbourhood. He met an old man who said he had heard of a place of that name. He remembered to have been told that the inhabitants were a prosperous lot. One day there had been peace on their walls; a revised time table of the Oudh and Rohilkund Railways; and they had left their homes unanimously. Then the Member of Council lost his temper, and began to abuse the old man frightfully. He said to him, "You are an Agricultural Statistic." The old man yelled for mercy.

He found the guard and proposed that they should return. The guard observed that he was advanced in years, and heard indistinctly. He bawled out to him, "When does the train start?" The guard replied that a few years sooner or later were of no consequence; he wished he had never been born. He said, "While there is life there is hope." The guard answered, "Hope be——."

It was late in the century when they arrived at Moradabad. They were taken before a bench of native justices of the peace. They were convicted of imbecility, and condemned to six months' rigorous reading of the *Indian Statesman*. That journal, in reporting the case, added, that it was an illustration of the dull obtuseness of the annual picnic to Simla. It was positively sickening. It said to have to point out over and over again that two and two make ten. There was but one earnest man left in Asia, and he was at his last grasp of indignation. He had over and over again called the attention of everybody to the frightful unwisdom of everything. The fatuous folly and scandalous imbecility of every one but himself filled all righteous minds with sheer amazement.

Valuable Discovery for the Hair.—If your hair is turning grey or white, or falling off, use "The Mexican Hair Renewer," for it *will positively restore in every case Grey or White hair* to its original colour without leaving the disagreeable smell of most "Restorers." It makes the hair charmingly beautiful, as well as promoting the growth of the hair on bald spots, where the glands are not decayed." Ask your Chemist for "The Mexican Hair Renewer," sold by Chemists and Perfumers everywhere at 3s. 6d. per Bottle. Sold wholesale by the Anglo-American Drug Co., Limited, 33, Farringdon-road, London.

ENGLISH SPORTING NOTES.

FOOTBALL.

The latest dictum of the Football Association on the subject of importations has evidently hit home. Though that body has nothing to fear from the threats held out of a rival Association, still a schism in the camp is much to be regretted. The cup competition, however, must remain strictly confined to amateurs, and any club showing an inclination to disobey the recent rules on the subject must be dealt with summarily. The Scottish Association has already been taking action in the matter, and after a lengthy investigation disqualified two or three professionals who were found to have taken part in some of the cup ties already played off, besides prohibiting the club employing them from playing in any of the cup matches. In the case of the Heart of Midlothian, a powerful Edinburgh club, the committee were lenient enough to allow it to engage in friendly matches. There is no doubt that the general feeling is very strong against professionalism. Taking advantage of the permission thus granted them, the Hearts have been trying conclusions with the powerful team of the Blackburn Rovers, who, along with Darwen and the Blackburn Olympic, represent the only Lancashire clubs which have taken no part in the movement for a rival association. The Lancashire cracks were well repaid for their journey to Edinburgh, for they were returned victorious by one goal to none after a toughly contested game, the Scottish club not playing the men who were objected to. Before journeying to Edinburgh the Rovers were engaged in a contest against their old rivals of the Darwen Club. Darwen losing the toss were placed at a considerable disadvantage, by having to play against a strong wind, and in spite of some determined efforts were ultimately defeated by four goals to one. Strangely enough the meeting of the second team of the same clubs was attended with the like result. After their defeat the Darwen players were visited by the Queen's Park Club, the Glasgow cracks. As these teams had only met twice before, in 1881, much interest was evinced in the match throughout the County Palatinate, especially as the northern club had been victorious on both occasions. After an hour's remarkably fast play, during which the Scottish team by their combined passing made some determined attacks upon the Darwen goal, which were all well stopped by Richmond, the Darwen goal-keeper, the game was declared drawn, each side having scored a goal. Just previous to this the Queen's Park Club had played a drawn game against Dumbarton. The play was not of a very exciting character. The feature of the match was the goal-keeping of Macaulay, the international player, for Dumbarton, who, though closely besieged several times, kept his goal intact by brilliant play. The Rangers and the Vale of Leven, two other strong Scottish clubs, have also been trying conclusions. Thanks to some brilliant play on the part of Forbes of international fame, the Vale were declared victorious by three goals to one. The play on both sides was very good. The Association Club set the ball rolling at Oxford by a match against the Old Foresters, who did not bring their best team. It was not very surprising, therefore, that the visitors got a decisive beating, although at times several of their team showed some brilliant play. Oxford won by six goals to one. At Cambridge the season was opened with a Rugby match against the Kent Rovers. Though the Varsity team was not playing well together for want of practice, yet it scored an easy win over the visitors by three goals and two ties to nothing. The Cambridge Association team also has drawn first blood by defeating Hendon by four goals to two, a result largely due to splendid play on the part of Cobbold, the light blue captain. The Eton boys have been very busy during the week under notice and several house matches have come off, besides some against teams brought by old Etonians. It is stated that an Australian team of football players will visit England in 1886 and play under the Association Rules. It is well known that football is being played very vigorously in Australia, and engrosses almost as much attention as cricket.

ATHLETICS.

On Saturday, October 18, at a special meeting of the L. A. C., W. G. George, perhaps the greatest runner of the age, made his final appearance on the cinder path in a second attempt to cut Deerfoot's record for an hour, but did not meet with success. In the cases of the 1,000 yards and mile, George may well afford to rest upon his well-earned laureis with the figures already placed to his credit, but with the hour's run matters bear a very different complexion. The doubts—and these of no illusionary character—from time to time cast upon the correctness of the remarkable feat credited to "Deerfoot" (L. Bennett) at the Old Brompton Grounds on Good Friday, 1863, has rendered the surpassing of this performance the goal of George's athletic career, and he has freely expressed his confidence that he would be able to cover more than the 11 miles 970 yards placed against the name of the professional above named upwards of a score of years ago. With this object in view he started in a special handicap at Stamford-bridge on the 22th of last July, but although he ran in marvellous fashion and cut record for several miles he fell short of his self-imposed task by a few inches under thirty-eight yards, the exact distance traced to his credit being 11

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

SATURDAY EVENING, Nov. 15.

WHILST rates of discount in London yesterday were unaltered, Reuter reports an advance of ⅜ in Consols to 100⅞, and an improvement of ⅛ in rench Rentes in Paris to 107¾. The Paris xchange on London too is slightly lower which, taken with the simultaneous rise in the funds, points to an easier tendency in money. Indian Loans remain unaltered.

In the Mincing Lane Markets the only alteration is a decline of 9d. to 1s. per quarter in poppy seed.

The upward movement in cotton was somewhat checked yesterday. The tone in Liverpool was quiet, the day's sales being only estimated at 10,000 bales, and although Reuter made no change in prices, private messages reported a decline of 1-16d. in arrivals. To-day's report, however, is steady, sales 6,000, and private messages report a recovery of 1-32d. from the previous day's fall. In New York ready Mid-Uplands remain at 10¼ cents., but futures declined 7 points yesterday to 10·53 cents. per lb. for March shipment.

We subjoin our usual weekly comparison of the statistical position of the staple. The visible supply for all Europe has increased by 120,000 bales during the week, but is still 250,000 bales behind the corresponding date last year, and 22,000 bales below the year preceding. The week's receipts at the American ports are heavy, but a decided change has taken place in the course of the exports, the Continent during the past week having taken 18,000 bales more than Liverpool.

The American Crop figures to date give the following comparisons with the two previous seasons :—

	1884.	1883.	1882.
Week's receipts	268,000	240,000	257,000
" Exports to U. K.	100,000	119,000	97,000
" " Continent	118,000	89,000	74,000
Total receipts since 1st Sept.	1,947,000	1,963,000	1,890,000
" Exports to U. K. "	510,000	477,000	625,000
" Cont. "	427,000	602,000	434,000
" Stock in the Ports "	780,000	849,000	690,000
Saturday's receipts	33,000	29,000	39,000

The total visible supply of cotton for all Europe on the 14th instant affords the following comparisons with the two previous years :—

	1884.	1883.	1882.
Total supply of all kinds	2,340,000	2,550,045	2,322,370
" " Surats	397,000	339,180	327,430

For the U. K. only the figures are :—

Stock in Liverpool	444,000	424,440	483,580
" London	55,000	46,000	77,400
American afloat	200,000	216,000	210,000
East Indian "	18,000	46,000	68,000
	717,000	742,440	838,980
Price of Mid-Uplands	5 11-16d.	5¼d.	6¼d.
" Good Fair Dholleras	4¼d.	4 3-16d.	4 7-16d.
Difference	1 7-16d.	1 11-16d.	1 11-16d.

SEEDS are generally unchanged in value, linseed being firm at Rs. 612½ per cent.

WHEAT is weak, and there are few buyers.

FREIGHTS present no new feature of any importance. There is certainly no additional strength apparent, and rates both ready and forward remains the same.

IMPORTS.—Piece-goods are dull. From first hands there is next to nothing doing. Coals are firm but not active. Consumers are keeping out of the market in the hope of a decline in prices, but of this there is no chance in the present position of freights. During the past five weeks no coals have been shipped from the U. K. for this port.

EXCHANGE.—Reuter quotes Bar Silver in London 1-16d. lower at 49 11-16d., but private messages still quote 49¾d. per oz. Notwithstanding this, exchange here has undergone a decided advance of 3-32nd. to ¼d. per rupee to-day, and even at this recovery the banks are indifferent buyers either ready or forward. Calcutta, is also firmer, and it almost looks as if the turning point had come, and the lowest level passed, but what there is to support the recovery is not quite so apparent. Closing rates for ready bills are :—

Bank Bills on demand	1s. 7 1-32d.	per rupee.
Do. Telegraphic	1s. 7d.	"
Do. Three months' sight	1s. 7 3-16d.	"
Credits do. do. do.	1s. 7¼d.	"
Francs do. do. do.	2·04½	"

GOVERNMENT PAPER is rather quieter again. Fours have receded to Rs. 99 9-16, and Fours-and-a-half do not find buyers at Rs. 102½.

SHARES.—The market is quiet with very little doing. Quotations, as a general rule, are unchanged all round, and tendency for Spinning Mill shares is, if anything, rather easier.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS.

BANKS.

	Shares.	Amt.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash. Rate.
		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
INDIAN BANKS.					
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	all	14 p.ct.	752½
Bank of Bengal	42,000	500	all	1 do.	860
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	5 do.	630
EXCHANGE BANKS.		£	£		
Agra Bank	10,000	100	all	6 do.	118
Hong. and Shang. B. Corporation	60,000	$125	all	17½ do.	85
National Bank	37,330	£ 25	12½	5 do.	95

LAND COMPANIES.

Colaba Land & Mill Co.	4,000	700	700	Rs. 30	765
Port Canning Co.	6,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 14	335

RAILWAY COMPANIES.

G.I.P. Railway Co.'s Consolidated Stock	..	£20	218-3-0	5	p.ct	160
Do. New £20 shares	..	£20	130-14-6		do.	350
Ditto	..	£20	6-7-3		do.	880
Ditto	..	£20	21-13 1		do.	660
B. B. & C. I. Ry. Co.	..	£100	1,000		do.	617
Do. New Shares	£1	£1	6-5-0		do.	5

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad S. & W. Company	1,338	1,000	1,000	...	1,420
Albert Edward Cotton Mills Co., Ld.	1,000	500	500	Rs. 152	540
Anglo-Indian S. & W. Company	20,000	100	100	Rs. 2	116
Alfred Manf'g. Co.	1,000	500	500	Rs. 17½	490
AllianceCotton & Silk Manufg. Co., Ld.	1,800	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	760
Bellary S. & W. Co., Ld.	871	500	all	..	600
Bhowanuggur Mills	9,000	100	100	..	34
Bombay United	900	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	1,000
Budnaira Manf'g. Co., Ld.	1,000	500	500	..	240
Central India S. & W. Company	3,000	500	5	Rs 40	700
Connaught Mills	840	500	500	..	155
Cooria Mills	1,800	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	690
City of Bombay	1,000	1,000	765	..	..
D. Spinning	3,000	2,000	2,000	..	370
Dhun Mills	1,000	1,000	1,000	..	1,000
Empress S. & W. Co.	1,000	500	500	Rs. 374	810
Framji Petit Manf. Co.	1,350	1,000	1,000	25	720
Golam Baba S. Co.	2,000	500	500	..	510
Gordon Mills	1,152	1,000	1,000	..	320
Hindustan Mills	1,200	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	840
Hingunghat Mill Co.	700	500	500	..	700
Hydrabad Spinning Co	700	1,000	1,000	Rs. 70	1,225
Imp. Cotton Mills Co.	1,400	500	500	Rs. 20	510
Indian Manufg Co. Ld.	68	1,000	1,000	..	825
James Greaves Mills	1,100	500	400	..	452½
Jaffer Ali Sons Co.	1,340	500	500	Rs. 40	50
Jawras Bhalloo	1,000	1,000	1,000	Rs 40	1,140
Khandesh	750	1,000	1,000	Rs 30	800
Kastoo Mookhjee	1,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 40	952½
Leopold S., Bleaching & Mfg. Co., Ld.	3,500	100	100	Rs. 5	134
Madras United	500	1,000	1,000	150	3,100xd
Mahalukshmi	650	1,000	1,000	Rs. 35	840
Manockjee Petit's	4,050	1,000	1,000	Rs. 50	1,245
Mazagon Spinning Co	5,000	25	..	Rs. 9	127½
Moraljee Goculdas	1,150	1,000	1,000	Rs. 65	1,45
National Spinning	600	1,000	1,000	..	700
New Great Eastern	1,500	1,000	1,000	Rs. 45	1,050
Oriental	5,725	625	625	Rs. 2	565
Parell S. & W. Co. Ld.	2,500	400	400	Rs. 10	250
People of Indi.. S. & W. Company	1,000	25	250	(2	200
Prince of Wales Spinning Company	1,250	500	500	..	185
Queen Spinning	800	1,000	1,000	825	
Rajpore	641	1,000	1,000	700	
Sassoon S. & W. Co.	1,500	1,000	1,000	Rs. 5	1,500
Sholapore Mills	678	1,000	1,000	Rs. 10	1,385
Soonderdas	50	1,000	1,000	Rs. 30	74
Southern India	1,000	500	500	Rs. 30	427½
Southern Mahratta S. & W. Co. Ld.	1,212	250	250	Rs. 10	250
Victoria Mills	650	1,000	1,000	..	636
Western India S. & M. Company	1,200	1,000	1,000	Rs. 25	750x

BANK OF BENGAL.

THE following is the statement of affairs of the Bank of Bengal, for the week ending 11th November as compared with that for the 4th November :—

LIABILITIES.	Nov. 4. Rs.	A.	P.	Nov. 11. Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	41,59,306	1	4	41,59,306	4	4
Treasury Balance	1,78,361	8	2	1,74,89,411	13	1
Other deposits	2,99,97,332	3	9	3,00,97,944	9	11
Bank Post Bills, &c.	2,81,316	3	6	3,11,074	15	1
Sundries	14,19,990	0	0	14,73,310	6	5
Rs.	7,38,45,326	3	9	7,38,22,091	0	10

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	69,12,620	0	0	73,07,466	0	0
Other authorised Invests	38,56,324	5	0	39,78,812	8	0
Loans on Govt. Securities	79,36,448	0	8	80,39,061	7	9
Credits on do.	78,27,509	10	3	79,05,586	14	0
Bills Discounted	1,41,36,758	9	0	1,43,60,733	1	3
Balances with other Banks	7,21,626	1	9	8,22,696	2	5
Bullion	28,725	7	11	28,739	15	11
Mint Stock	11,87,620	0	10	11,85,870	0	6
Interest	8,137	6	0	9,209	7	0
Sundries	6,23,841	9	3	6,25,0 5	14	3
Cash at Head Office	1,35,0 855	9	8	1,61,84,078	2	1
Cash at Branches	3,03,14,140	10	1	1,30,08,336	7	3
Rs.	7,38,45,326	3	9	7,38,22,091	0	10

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE steamer Schaldis, 1,322 tons, Captain W. H. Stacey, sailed on Saturday last for Antwerp with a general cargo.

THE steamer Bessie Morris, 1,119 tons, Captain J. Hilditch, sailed on Saturday last for Genoa with a general cargo.

THE steamer Knight of St. Patrick, 1,498 tons, Captain J. E. McGill, sailed on Saturday last for Dunkirk with a general cargo.

THE steamer Avoca, 904 tons, Captain C. Klyhn, arrived in harbour on the 15th instant from Zanzibar (3rd Nov.), with a general cargo and 94 deck passengers.

THE Clan Line steamer Clan Cameron, 1,585 tons, Captain J. R. Kewley, sailed on Saturday last for Marseilles with a general cargo.

THE steamer Cuba, 1,372 tons, Captain C. Hossason, which arrived in harbour on the 14th instant from Cardiff (11th Oct.) brought a cargo of 2,475 tons coal. The vessel is consigned to the Captain.

ARRIVAL OF THE AUSTRALIAN AND CHINA MAILS.

THE P. and O. Co.'s steamer Cathay, 1,8 tons, Captain T. Fairclough, arrived in harbour yesterday evening from Sydney, &c, with China and Australian mails, general cargo, and the following passengers : —From Sydney to London.—Mr. C. Allen. From Sydney to Bombay.—Mr. and Mrs. Facer and child, Mr. G. Wolstencroft, Mr. H. Robattow, Mr. E. Wilson, and Mr. J. Wardle. From Melbourne to London.—Revd T. H. Summer and Mr. Woodfal. From Glenelg to Bombay.—Mr. Gubrez, Mr. T. Hudson, Mr. O. Smith, Mr. W. G. Allan, Miss. Ada Maier, Miss Mellie Harley, Miss Florie de Gay, and Miss May Melville. From Colombo to Bombay.—Hon. Justice Scott, Mr. B. K. Roychawlney, Mr. Goolamaly Nuzerally, Mr. Abdoola Rissa, and Mr. and Mrs. Armacalan. From Singapore to Bombay.—Mr. H. Curwen, and Mr. De Souza Gomez. From Hioge to London.—Mr. W. Ponsford.

ARRIVALS.

Nov.	Vessels.	Commander.	From.
15	Avoca (s)	Klyhn	Zanzibar, Nov. 3.
16	Cathay (s)	Fairclough	Sydney, Oct. 17.

DEPARTURES.

Nov.	Vessels.	Commander.	Destination.
15	Sutlej (s)	Johnson	China, &c.
	I.G. Tenasserim (s)	Hatham	Rangoon, &c.
	K. of St. Patrick (s)	McGill	Dunkirk.
	Schaldis (s)	Stacey	Antwerp.
	Bessie Morris (s)	Hilditch	Genoa.
	Clan Cameron (s)	Kewley	Marseilles.

The following vessels were entered for loading on Saturday last :—
Steamer Kangra, to London, via Kurrachee, &c.
" China, to London, via Havre.
Barque Sarah Smith, to Natal.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.

Nov.
11 Calcutta (s) ..... Keighly ..... Rangoon, &c.
Madura (s) ..... Wilson ..... Singapore, Oct. 27.

DEPARTURE.

Nov. 11.—Steamer Astronomer.

DAILY IMPORTS.—NOVEMBER 15.

FROM LONDON.

Kangra s—8 packages glassware and cotton wicks, Mirally Curramsee ; 9 packages glass, earthenware, and cork, Cooper, Madon and Co ; 11 cases eau-de-cologne, Abdool Hossein Tyebally.
Sutlej s—2 cases tobacco, Goolamally Jeevanjee and Co ; 3 cases whiskey, Benn, Ashley and Co ; 61 cases brandy and 101 cases whiskey, Dajeebhoy Dadabhoy ; 4 cases tobacco, Essoofally Russooljee ; 1 case boots, Cowasjee Brothers ; 875 cases brandy, Nowrojee Ardaseer and Sons ; 5 casks wine, Jamsetjee Eduljee Treasurywalla ; 24 cases soap and perfumery and 4 cases sarsaparilla, Framjee, Sands and Co ; 12 cases aniline dye, Gopaljee Mooljee ; 32 cases cheese, Goolamally Jeewanjee and Co ; 17 cases hams, bacon, and cheese, Bolton and Co ; 30 cases hams, bacon, and oilmanstores, Jamsetjee Framjee ; 67 cases provisions, cheese, corks, &c., &c., F. Hormujee Bottlewalla ; 22 cases oilmanstores, &c., Barton and Co ; 3 cases soap, H. Voydina H. Jackeria.
Masalla s—15 cases port and 9 cases sherry, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Nepaul s—17 cases port, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
China s—50 cases port wine, Jamsetjee Eduljee Treasurywalla ; 95 cases whiskey and 68 cases port, Dhunjeebhoy Cowasjee ; 4 packages glassware, Dadabhoy Dewraj ; 38 kegs of white lead, A. Cadjer A. Hossein ; 100 packages dry yellow ochre, Ebramjee Essoojee.
Rosetta s—25 cases brandy and 5 cases gin, Bodger, Warburton and Co ; 7 bales paper, the *Times of India*.
Assam s—10 cases brandy, Bodger, Warburton and Co.
Ganges s—1 hogshead bran y, D. Nusserwanjee.
Japanese s—5 cases sherry and 4 cases port, Cutler, Palmer and Co
Khedive s—9 cases sherry, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Nuddea s—46 cases port, Cutler, Palmer and Co.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Clan Munro s—5 casks brass wire, Sewlall Myachund.
Clan Macdonald s—5 cases aniline dye, Tyebally Moolla Takhan.
Western Hall s—784 copper tiles, Benn, Ashley and Co.

FROM TRIESTE.

Orion s—12 bales brown paper, Bell, Brandenburg and Co.

FROM VENICE.

Nizam s—14 cases beads, M. Essoofally.

FROM MARSEILLES.

Colombo s—51 cases brandy, Dajeebhoy Dadabhoy ; 123 cases brandy, Jamsetjee Nowrojee ; 35 casks shot, Oomer Jumail.

DAILY EXPORTS.—NOVEMBER 15,

FOR LONDON.

Kangra s—15 cwts chutney, Rustomjee Merwanjee ; 4,000 cwts wheat, Lanz, Moir and Co ; 500 cwts sandalwood, Volkart Brothers ; 137½ cwts senna leaves, Gokalbhai chund Kessowjee.
China s—230 cwts gambier, Sewjee Ramjee.

FOR HULL.

Othello s—1,000 cwts linseed, F. Masotti and Co ; 1,605 cwts bones, Fuckeer Mahomed Vully Mahomed ; 500 cwts linseed, Finlay, Muir and Co ; 2,000 cwts linseed, Aldridge, Salmon and Co ; 7,357 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Lismacrieva s—2,000 cwts wheat and 1,500 cwts myra bolams, Ralli Brothers ; 500 cwts gingellyseed, Ewart, Latham and Co.
Colombo s—75 cw s coir yarn, Pursotum Dewjee ; 2,900 cwts wheat, Dinshaw Bhicajee Khan and Co.
Clan Cameron s—3,000 cwts wheat, Lang, Moir and Co.

FOR HAVRE.

Suez s—200 bales cotton, Geo. Lockh rt and Co.
Incharvie s—4,000 cwts wheat and 1,441 cwts rapeseed, Ralli Brothers ; 400 cwts horns, Geo. Lockhart and Co.

FOR DUNKIRK.

Thorndale s—1,999½ cwts rapeseed, E. Spinner and Co ; 100 bales cotton Wallace and Co.

FOR ANTWERP.

Lilborn Tower s—97 bales cotton, Damjee Heerjee.
Schaldis, s—300 cwts groundnuts, Punnett and Co.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Booldana s—368 bales cotton, R. mjeedass Luckmedass.

FOR HONGKONG.

Sumatra s—7 bales twist, Hajee Adum Esmail and Co ; 160 bales twist, Cursetjee Bomanjee and Co ; 10 bales twist, Munsukbhoy Bhugoobhoy ; 400 bales twist, Currimbhoy Ebram ; 10 bales, twist, Jairambhoy Peerbhoy.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—NOVEMBER 12.

Osborn, Major, R. E., on leave, from Nassick.

NOVEMBER 15.

Fortescue, Lieut. and Adjt., 17th Lancers, on leave, from Lucknow.
Young, Capt., Staff Corps, on leave, from Bangalore.

DEPARTURES.—NOVEMBER 14.

Heyland, Lieut., R. A., on leave, to Bengal.

NOVEMBER 15.

Bales, Lieut., Somersetshire, to join, to Rangoon.
Osborn, Major, R. E., on leave, to Nassick.
Macrobin, Surg.-Major, on leave, to Ferozpore.
Anderson, Capt., Offg. Dy. Asst. Qrmr.-Genl., on leave, to Poona.
Borradaile, Lieut.-Col., R. A., on leave, to Poona.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.—REGIMENTAL ORDERS

By Lieut.-Col. the Hon. L. H. Bayley, Comdt,

Bombay, November 17, 1884.

There will be parade at the following places until further orders, viz :—At the Oval near the Bandstand every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 6-30 a. m. The parade on Wednesdays will be under the Adjutant. Cadets of the Cathedral High School and Indo-British Institution are requested to attend at the same time and place :—At the J. J. Hospital every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 5 p. m. At the P. and O. Dockyard every Tuesday and Friday at 5 p.m. At the Byculla School every Monday and Thursday at 5 p.m. At the Town Hall every Monday and Wednesday at 4-45 p.m. It is earnestly requested that all members and especially recruits will attend these parades.

Members requiring orders for the issue of ammunition are reminded that the hours for the magazine being opened are from 10 a.m., till 4 p.m. so all orders for signature by the Adjutant should be sent before 2-30 p.m. Lights in the magazine after dark or at any time are strictly prohibited.

The range at Colaba is available for practice for the Bombay Vol. Rifle Corps every Tuesday and Thursday from 4 p.m. till dark until further orders. Members are requested to give notice at Headquarters not later than 1 p.m. to allow of arrangements being made for markers, &c.

The following members having joined are taken on the strength of the Corps from this date and posted to Companies as follows :—Vol. S. C. Gordon to C. Company and Vol. E. Nathan to E. Company.

Vol. T. Waite, E. Company, is granted two months' leave from this date on medical certificate.

The following promotions are sanctioned in E. Company, viz :—Lce. Serjt. Gindera to be Serjeant and Lce. Corpl. Gilder to be Corporal with effect from the 15th October, 1884.

The following is the Order in which Companies will go through the annual course of Musketry. The dates on which each Company will commence will be notified hereafter. 1st C. Coy. ; 2nd E. Coy. ; 3rd A. Coy. ; 4th F. Coy. ; 5th D. Coy. ; and 6th B. Company.

The usual monthly Regimental Meeting will assemble at Head-quarters on Wednesday next, the 19th inst. at 5-15 p.m. The following matters will be laid before it, viz :—1st, Poona Camp-of-Exercise 2nd, N. I. Rifle Assn. Meeting, 1881 ; 3rd, Bombay Vol. R. Assn. Meeting, 1884-85 ; 4th, Question of more Officers for the Corps ; and 5th, Clothing of Cadets. Any members wishing to bring a question or questions before the Committee are requested to give notice to the Adjutant one week before the first Monday in every month.

By order,
A. H. ATKINSON, Captain,
Adjutant, B. V. R. C.

BOMBAY ARMY ORDERS.

BY H. E. THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.
Adjutant General's Office, Head-Quarters.
Poona, Nov. 14, 1884.

The C-in-C is pleased to make the following appointments :—

2nd Regt N I.—Lieut W J R Wickham, S C, Wing Officer 28th N I, (Actg Sub-Asst Commsy Genl for Transport to be Wing Officer.
4th Regt N I.—Lieut W Quentin, Wing Officer (Offig Qr Mr) to be Qr Mr.
9th Regt N I.—Lieut C J Melliss, Offg Wing Officer 1st N I, to officiate as Wing Officer on probation.
28th Regt N I.—Lieut R L B, Carter, S C, Wing Officer 2nd N I, to be Wing Officer, and Adjt.

With reference to G O C No 203 of 1884, Lieut E R Penrose, 2nd Batn Royal Lancaster Regt, having been permitted to withdraw his resignation of his probationary appointment in the Bombay Staff Corps, is appointed to Officiate as Wing Officer 16th N I, on Probation.

With reference to G G O No 511 of 1884, Surg-Major W P Bridges, Medl staff is apptd to the Medical charge of Station Hospital Deesa.

Under instructions from the Horse Guards War Office, it is intimated that :—

I. Capt H S Dalbiac, F Baty 1st Brigade, has been appointed to G Battery, A Brigade R H A and will proceed to Meerut, under Para. 514 Clause (K) Transport Regulation, Part II.

II. Capt H C L Holden, Royal Artillery has been posted to F Baty, 1st Brigade vice Dalbiac.

III Lieut N Maxwell, A Baty 4th Brigade has been promoted Capt into No 3 Baty, 1st Brigade Welsh Divn, R A.

IV. Lieut T W Powles, R A, has been posted to No 6 Baty 1st Brigade, Western Divn.

The undermentioned Officer returned to duty by permission of the Secy of State for India, on the 10th Nov 1884.

Col C J Anderson, S C, Comdt 2nd Bombay Lancers.

The undermentioned Officer has leave of absence :—

26th Regt N I—Major J R Watson, S C, to Kurrachee, for 60 days, from date of departure on Medl certificate under the furlough rules of 1866.

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DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

[THE CHARGE FOR NOTIFYING A DOMESTIC OCCURRENCE IS TWO RUPEES. THE ANNOUNCEMENT MUST BE AUTHENTICATED].

BIRTHS.

ASHTON—November 2, at Agra, the wife of F. Ashton, Salt Department, of a son.
HART—November 9, at Ferozepore, the wife of Color-Sergeant James Hart, 4th Battalion, 60th Rifles, of a son.
PARKER—November 11, at Lahore, the wife of E. Woodall Parker, of a son.
WINTLE—November 1, at Basti, N.-W. P., the wife of Henry Edmund Wintle, Esq., Opium Department, of a daughter.

DEATHS.

BURKE—November 10, at the residence of her father No. 21, North Road, Entally, Nora, the beloved wife of E. H. Burke, Public Works Department, of typhoid fever, aged 20 years and 7 days.
LANE—November 10, at Simla, Elsie Marion, child of James Horsburgh and Alice Lane, aged 7 months.
PAWSEY—November 10, at Faridpur, of cholera, R. H. Pawsey, B. C. S., aged 45 years.

All MONEY ORDERS, CHEQUES, and other Remittances sent to this office should be made payable to the Proprietor of the *Bombay Gazette*.

The Bombay Gazette

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1884.

THE telegrams relative to the military operations of which Khartoum is the objective are to-day unusually full, and have an almost dramatic interest. The crisis is visibly approaching, if it has not actually arrived. It is to be noted in the first place that nothing in the news to-day to hand throws any light whatever upon the validity or otherwise of the statement which M. Ferry placed before the French Cabinet, that General Gordon had been shot dead while on his way to Berber. That portentous announcement was made on Thursday last, the 13th instant. The next day the Under-Secretary, Lord E. Fitzmaurice, in the House of Commons, made the somewhat singular statement that Sir Evelyn Baring "discredits the news received by M. Ferry ;" but he did not say whether the news in question had been received by Sir E. Baring or by Her Majesty's Government. No hint was given as to the nature or origin of the rumour which the French Premier gave forth with official emphasis. We are still left without any information on the subject. It is necessary to bear in mind that the letters from General Gordon which arrived in Debbeh on Friday last, the 14th instant, were dated the 4th, nine days previous to the disturbing announcement made by M. Ferry. What happened in the interval we do not as yet know, but it must be confessed that the situation on the 4th instant was one calculated to justify considerable uneasiness. That this was felt by Lord Wolseley to be the case upon receiving these letters on Friday last, especially when read in connection with the known movements of the Mahdi, is abundantly shown by his instant determination to despatch two thousand cavalry straight across the desert from Debbeh to Khartoum, leaving the infantry to follow afterwards. Such a measure could only be explained by the urgency of the circumstances. The Mahdi was on the 4th within one day of Khartoum, occupying a position between that city and Debbeh. The Mudir of Dongola telegraphed on Friday, the 14th that twelve thousand of the Mahdi's forces were then marching against that place. The object of that movement was clearly to get in the rear of the forces under Lord Wolseley assembling a little to the south at Debbeh. There is a good route from Darfur and El Obeid eastward to Debbeh and Dongola and no doubt the twelve thousand men spoken of were advancing by that route. Debbeh is 220 miles north-west of Khartoum. The Mahdi himself was, as we have just said, on the 4th inst., according to General Gordon, within one day's march of Khartoum. On the 8th Lord Wolseley telegraphed that he was at a place called Korshambat to the north of Khartoum, and that his following was small. It is pretty evident that his plan was similar to that which he practised in the case of poor General Hicks, namely, of following up the invading force with a strong body of men, while he himself observes a dubious attitude in its front, being prepared to wait on events and watch his opportunity. If this prove to be the case, the position of two thousand cavalry, traversing 220 miles of a difficult desert with much fewer wells than exist on the Debbeh-Shendy route, will be full of dangers. It is altogether unreasonable to suppose that Lord Wolseley would run such a patent risk if it were not that affairs at Khartoum are in the highest degree critical. General Gordon's letters, though evidently written with the intention of putting the best face on the matter, show clearly that the gravity of the situation was manifest even to the sanguine mind of the resolute soldier who penned them. He "expresses hopes" that he will be able to hold out until the arrival of the British Expedition. He is "delighted" to hear of the British advance. He employs his steamers in harassing the enemy in their attempts to approach Khartoum, the Mahdi then being one day's march from the town. It is easy to read between the lines that in Gordon's opinion the situation on the 4th instant was well-nigh desperate, and that nothing but the providential advent of Wolseley's force could save the city. What happened in the neighbourhood of Khartoum between that date and Friday last when M. Ferry made his startling announcement, the public do not know. The French Government has heard some report, whether true or false ; the English Ministry has no doubt heard something also, but it confines itself to a statement, which is, no doubt, correct as far as it goes, that Sir Evelyn Baring discredits the statement which M. Ferry makes. It is still permitted to us to hope for the best, but it is useless to deny that there is good reason for many misgivings.

THE climate at the ghats sanitaria is just now perfect—if anything a little too cold and bracing for the unaccustomed Bombayite. There are many visitors already to Matheran, Khandalla, and Lanowlee. The pucka road from the Lanowlee station to the new sanitarium at Sakar Pathar, some four miles distant, is now in good order, and there can be little doubt that a fair start will be made this season in pioneering this, the loftiest of all the sanitaria on the ghats easily accessible to Bombay. A good many sites for bungalows have been applied for and assigned. The practicable carriage road to the plateau will enable those who propose to build to get the materials up with greater ease and less cost than is practicable at Matheran. Besides, the rise from the Lanowlee railway station is only six or eight hundred feet, as compared with the 2,400 from Narel to the Matheran plateau. When the patches of forest scattered over the spacious undulating surface of Sakar Pathar are opened up by bridle paths, the disappointment now experienced at the comparative want of shade will be much diminished. At present it is impossible to enter the woods, and the explorer being compelled to keep on the open downs, goes away with the impression that there is no shade at all on the plateau. As soon as the timbered patches are opened up, this impression will be seen to be quite erroneous. Of course it will be necessary to encourage the further growth of timber at Sakar Pathar. Matheran owes its present leafiness, not to nature, but to assiduous care. In natural advantages the new sanitarium has many points in its favour, the chief being the cooler and dryer air which its great elevation secures it all the year round.

UNTIL to-day our "Commercial" columns have for the past three weeks registered a continuous and almost daily decline in the rate of exchange on England. From 1s. 7⅞d. the rupee steadily receded, till on Friday it was for a time only worth 1s. 6¼d. Happily for those who have to send remittances home, a decided recovery set in on Saturday, and the exchangeable value is again over 1s. 7d., with —to use commercial phraseology—an upward tendency. The original cause of the recent decline has been the depressed state of the export trade to Europe, not only in Bombay but throughout the entire East, and this cause has not as yet shown any decided sign of improvement. Every day, however, is bringing us nearer the season when trades, in the natural order of things, must assume greater activity ; and it is partly perhaps owing to this, and in part to a belief that the fall was unwarrantable in extent, that the change on Saturday made its appearance. The action of Government in connection with the disposal in London of their drafts on India has been blamed in some quarters for, at least, increasing the depreciation of the rupee. And those entrusted with the manipulation of the finances have certainly been rather injudicious at times in holding for unattainable limits, necessitating heavier sales in less favourable states of the market. The fact, therefore, that Government has notified a reduction in the rate for P. O. orders on England to 1s. 6⅔d. per rupee need not be taken as indicating the probability of a further fall in exchange. On the contrary, it is not unlikely it may prove another instance of being wise after the event.

THE Bombay Factory Commission have very nearly completed the public portion of their labours. They have now to hear the evidence of the Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of Bombay, to receive the report of the medical sub-commission, and to prepare their own ; and then their work will be at an end. The Commissioners will not be judged until their recommendations are made public ; but meanwhile it would be unfair to them not to recognize that their investigation has been thorough and painstaking, and that they have done their very best to throw light upon the subject from all directions. The inquiry began with the condition of the greater mills and of the people who work in them, and it brought to light the unexpected fact that the employés have a grievance, and that they are able to state it and even to agitate about it. The claim for four holidays in the month has been put forward with a virtual unanimity by the workmen, and the Commissioners in their report may find it extremely difficult to put themselves in opposition to it. The report of the Sanitary Commissioner and of the medical sub-commission will be awaited with interest, the more so since some of the evidence has given strangely unsatisfactory accounts of the sanitary condition of some of the smaller factories. The evidence respecting the engines and boilers in these factories is also important, and cannot well escape being made the subject of recommendation of some kind by the Commission. The evidence of Mr. Moylan, for instance, on Saturday, indicates a state of things which cannot well be allowed to remain. Mr. Moylan, who is the Inspector of Boilers in Bombay, found unqualified men in charge of boilers, the bursting of which would probably be attended with loss of life. The inquiry has ranged over a wide ground, and it may be anticipated that the report of the Commission will be an interesting and instructive document.

THE INSTALLATION OF THE RAO OF CUTCH.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

BHUJ, NOV.

TELEGRAMS.

THE ZHOB VALLEY EXPEDITION.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

DULAI THRO' DUKI, Nov. 16.

The Government of India have declined to sanction the proposal to keep two native corps permanently in the Bori Valley.

KHAKA THRO' DUKI, Nov. 16.

The Musa Khels have submitted, but not the Kibzais, in whose country we now are.

The force had a long and trying march from Mena Bazaar to Tung yesterday, and to-day another short march.

Stores of arms were found concealed in the forts which stud the valley.

Dulai is believed to be thirty miles distant.

THE FRENCH IN CHINA.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

COLOMBO, Nov. 16.

The China mail of the 4th November has arrived. The news it brings of the French operations is unimportant.

The position at Kelung and Tamsui is unchanged. The French are unable to move inland, as they are surrounded by large bodies of Chinese troops.

They cannot utilise the coal-mines.

They expect reinforcements in December.

Admiral Courbet has taken possession of the Pescadores, near Formosa

The French have officially proclaimed a blockade of the Formosa ports, but not of those on the east coast. Foreign vessels are not allowed to approach or leave. Great complaints are made by British residents, who are unable to leave to obtain supplies.

The captain of a British steamer refused to obey the orders of a French corvette boat, and the crew commanded by an officer boarded her to search the hold. The English Captain refused permission for the search. The French cruiser fired a shot between the masts and compelled the British ship to stop. The English captain still refused without a letter from the Frenchman guaranteeing him against loss by obeying orders. The letter was eventually given.

Two more actions have been fought near Saigon and Tonking, in both of which the Chinese were defeated on successive days after a stubborn and brave resistance. The Chinese loss is unknown. The French lost 112 killed and wounded.

Further troops have been moved to the front against the enemy.

No more fighting has taken place since.

The wounded have been brought to Haiphong.

Warlike preparations continue in the north. Troops are arriving at the Yangtzie river.

The reported peace negotiations at Pekin are discredited. The conditions mentioned are that China should cede Formosa and give France the right to construct and work railways in China. It is believed that China would never consent to abandon territory or any part of her dominions.

FAREWELL ADDRESS TO LORD RIPON.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

SHOLAPORE, Nov. 16.

At an influential public meeting held to-day, attended by about five thousand inhabitants of Sholapore, representingall classes of the community, resolutions were passed acknowledging the just and benevolent administration of Lord Ripon and expressing regret at his early departure ; secondly, inviting subscriptions to commemorate his lordship's memory by erecting a Ripon Hall or establishing a Ripon School of Industry at Sholapore ; third, adopting an address to be presented to his lordship before his departure from Bombay ; and lastly, appointing an influential committee to carry out the object of the meeting. Rs. 6,000 have already been subscribed.

THE RECENT EXHIBITION AT CALCUTTA.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, Nov. 16.

The permanent gain to Calcutta from the late Exhibition has taken the form of five courts added to the Indian Museum, containing articles purchased from the Exhibition by the Bengal Government, presentations from Rajas and other distinguished native gentlemen, and presentations from British and colonial exhibitors. The five courts contain : —First, artwares and manufactures, a complete and valuable collection of Indian fabrics, embroidery, carpets, rugs, ivory and horn manufactures, small clay models, Indian pottery, porcelain, glassware, wood-carving, lacquered-ware, metal-ware including gold and silver jewellery, brass and copper-ware, inlaid and damascened work, &c. ; second, ethnological specimens including models of many of the Assam Frontier hill tribes, Nicobarese, Andamanese, Karens, and some Central India tribes, with arms, implements, clothes, &c., peculiar to each class ; third, an economic collection, to which the fairly comprehensive collection formerly exhibited in the Economic Museum in Hastings-street has been added ; fourth, timber including 1,500 specimens of Indian woods ; and fifth, industrial machines, &c., presented from British and other courts of the Exhibition.

A CHILD POISONED BY MISTAKE.

At an inquest held in the case of the child poisoned by opium in powders prescribed by a doctor and supplied from a private dispensary, the Deputy Chemical Analyser to the Government said he had examined the dispensary bottles from which the powders were made up, and found traces of opium in the bottle purporting to contain merely aromatic chalk. The Coroner directed that the jury could not blame anyone, as a mistake might have been made in England, where chalk is manufactured, or in Calcutta in placing it in the bottles. The jury found a verdict of accidental death, and represented that they considered that greater care should be exercised in the supervision of the dispensary.

THE CALCUTTA HIGH COURT.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, Nov. 16.

It is believed that three additional Judges for the Calcutta High Court will be sanctioned.

THE MYSORE RESIDENCY.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

BANGALORE, Nov. 15.

I have good authority for stating that when Mr. Lyall, the British Resident, goes on leave shortly Colonel Tredway Clark acts as Resident. Colonel Hill is coming from Coorg as Sessions Judge, Bangalore. A Bengal Civilian will eventually be appointed Assistant Resident, chiefly for judicial work.

THE SOUTHERN MAHRATTA COMPANY AND THE MYSORE RAILWAY.

Negotiations are said be in train for handing over the Mysore Railway to the South Mahratta Company, who will extend and work the whole line under mutually satisfactory conditions.

HYDERABAD RACES.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

HYDERABAD, Nov. 15.

The attendance to-day was better. His Highness the Nizam arrived in time to witness the fourth race. The racing for the Gold Cup was splendid. The weather was good.

MERCHANT PURSE.

1½ mile.

Jack in the Green, 8st. 5lb., Vinall..... 1
Palmerston, 9st. 12lb., Kendall..... 2

Jack lead throughout and won by a length. Time 2m. 20s.

BEDOUIN STAKES.

1 mile.

Ameer, 9st. 8lb., Bowen..... 1
Euphrates, 9st. 13lb., Gerard..... 2
Royal Chief, 7st. 5lb., Ramchurn..... 3

London also ran. The race was won by two lengths. Time 1m. 53⅘s.

GRAND STAND PLATE.

¾ mile.

Baghdad, 10st 10lb., Owner 1
Asaf, 10st. 10lb., Captain Dalbiac 2
Wellington, 11st. 6lb., Owner 3

Six ran. Won by two lengths. Time 1m. 26⅕s.

NIZAM'S GOLD CUP.

2 miles.

Young Revenge, 10st. 3lb., Vinall 1
Sherwood, 10st. 3lb., Bowen 2
Doctor, 9st. 5lb., Oomer..... 3

There also ran Khusroo, Shammer, Dardanelles, and Bonnie Dundee. There was a splendid race between Young Revenge and Sherwood. Won by a short head. Time 3m. 49s.

PONY CUP.

½ mile.

Especial, 10st. 7lb., Cassim..... 1
General, 9st. 5lb., Hackney 2
Moochool, 8st. 11lb., Panchoo..... 3

Two others ran. Won in a canter. Time 54s.

CHUDDERGHAUT CUP.

1 mile.

Song, 9st. 2lb., Gerard..... 1
Barou, 8st. 4lb., Kendall..... 2

Four others ran. There was a disputed start. Song was decided by Stewards to be the winner. Time 1m. 46s.

AJMERE RACES.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

AJMERE, Nov. 15.

There has been another very good day's racing. The lotteries last night were well supported and aggregated Rs. 10,000. There was a very large attendance.

NUSSEERABAD PLATE.

For galloways. 1 mile.

Volunteer, 11s. 7lb..... 1
Galopin, 10st. 7lb 2
Pilgrim, 10st. 7lb 3

Volunteer, a strong favourite, won a good race by a head. Time 1m. 59s.

RAILWAY OFFICERS' CUP.

For all maiden ponies. ¾ mile.

Yaboo, 10st.-10lb..... 1
Flora, 9st. 7lb. 2
Midnight, 10st. 7lb..... 3
The Mahdi, 10st. 11b. 0
Young Gazelle, 9st 9lb. 0
Bagpipe, 9st..... 0
Radeski, 10st. 11b. 0

Yaboo, made a hot favourite and run unbacked by his stable, wore down his field and won easily. Time 1m. 30½s.

SELLING WELTER RACE.

¾ mile.

Little Dick, 11st. 3lbs..... W. O.

RAJPUTANA DERBY.

For maiden arabs. 1¾ mile.

Kushdill, 9st. 3lb. 1
Star, 9st. 6lb. 2
Fixen, 9st. 8lb 3
Sangar, 8st. 6lb..... 0
Sir Garnet, 9st. 3lb 0
Gibraltar, 9st. 2lb. 0
Berlin, 9st. 3lb 0
Golden Pledge, 9st. 3lb..... 0

Soda, 8st. 6lb., also entered, but was too lame to start. Fixen and Star were favourites, Kooshdill selling for Rs. 10 and Rs. 20 in two lotteries for over Rs. 1,600. Avery good race, won by good riding by Mr. Conran by a neck. Time 3m. 30sec.

DWARF STAKES.

For 13-hands country-bred ponies. ½ mile.

Nina, 10st. 11olb 1
Rogue, 9st., 11b..... 2
Gay Deceiver, 10st. 3lb..... 3
Fenian, 10st..... 0
Begum, 10st. 2lb. 0
Calgarry, 10st. 0
John Gilpin, 10st. 0

Begum and Nina were favourites. Another good race. Nina won all out by three lengths in 58s.

ALL-HORSE HANDICAP.

Round the course.

Goldfinder, 9st. 11lb. 1
Glad Tidings, 9st. 8lb..... 2
Zephyr, 11st..... 3
Constance, 9st. 5lb..... 0
Yanathon, 8st..... 0

Goldfinder, the favourite, won a good race, ridden by Maharajah Pertab Sing, in 2m. 37⅖s.

The steeple chases on Monday unfortunately have fallen through, as there are not sufficient declarations ; but efforts are being made to construct hurdle-races to be run on Tuesday, with the fourth day's events.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

NEWS FROM GENERAL GORDON.

LONDON, Nov. 15.

Lord Wolseley has telegraphed that letters from General Gordon had arrived at Debbeh yesterday.

CAIRO, Nov. 15.

A letter has been received from General Gordon, dated 4th November, in which he states that he is delighted to hear of the British advance, and expresses hopes that he will be able to hold out until their arrival. He also says that he continues to harass with his steamers the enemy in their attempts to approach Khartoum, and adds that the Mahdi himself is only one day's journey distant from the town.

His letter confirms the account of the death of Colonel Stewart and party.

LORD WOLSELEY'S PLANS.

LONDON, Nov. 15.

The Marquis of Hartington (Secretary of State for War) made a statement in the House of Commons last night concerning the plans of Lord Wolseley.

Two thousand men will be concentrated as soon as possible at Debbeh. If the attitude of the tribes is such as is anticipated, the force will advance as mounted men across the desert to Khartoum, preliminary to the advance of the infantry.

The advance of a superior force from Dongola will possibly be unnecessary.

THE AFGHAN BOUNDARY COMMISSION.

Sir Peter Lumsden has arrived at Sarrakhs, where he has been joined by some Afghan cavalry, and opened communications with Colonel Ridgeway.

THE RUSSIANS IN CENTRAL ASIA.

ANNEXATION OF KHIVA.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 15.

The Russians have occupied Kungrad owing to the Khan of Khiva having violated the treaty, and to his incapacity to govern.

He will be pensioned, and it is intended to establish a Russian administration at Khiva.

THE CONGO CONFERENCE.

BERLIN, Nov. 15.

The Congo Conference commenced its sittings here to-day.

The United States and all the foreign Powers were represented at it.

THE CHOLERA IN PARIS.

PARIS, Nov. 15.

The cholera here is on the decrease.

THE NEW POSTMASTER-GENERAL.

LONDON, Nov. 16.

The Right Hon. George John Shaw-Lefevre succeeds the late Mr. Fawcett as Postmaster-General.

THE P. AND O. COMPANY.

LONDON, Nov. 14.

The P. and O. Company pays a dividend for the past-half year at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum.

STEAMER MOVEMENT.

SUEZ, Nov. 14.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s s. s. Manora, outward bound for Colombo, Madras, and Calcutta, left here this afternoon.

COLOMBO, Nov. 16.

French mail steamer Saghalien, from China, arrived.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, Nov. 14.

The Liverpool Cotton market to-day closed quie Surats firm.

Good Fair Dhollera ..... 4¼d.

The London Cotton market to-day closed firm.

The Manchester market has been quiet but steady.

4½ per cent. Rentes	107⅜
3 Consols for account	100⅜
Bar Silver	49 9-16
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	79
4½ ,, ,,	81

THERMOMETER READINGS.

SATURDAY, NIGHT, November 15.

10 p.m.	72·3

SUNDAY, November 16.

6 a.m.	69·9
10 a.m.	78·9
2 p.m.	83·6
4 p.m.	84·7

THE Factory Commission of Bombay closed their labours on Saturday last as regards the taking of evidence, with the exception of that of Dr. Hewlett, Sanitary Commissioner, who is at present engaged in inspecting the small factories, and who has been requested to state when he would be prepared to give his evidence before the Commission. The Medical Committee has also been requested to state when they would send in their report. When this report has been received and Dr. Hewlett's evidence taken, the Commission would proceed to prepare their report on the mill industry. Meanwhile, the preparation of the report on the small factories would be taken in hand. The Commission adjourned *sine die*.

AT a meeting of the Bombay Municipal Corporation to be held on the 24th instant, Mr. Muncherjee Nowrojee Banajee will propose that the Marquis of Ripon be solicited to lay the foundation stone of the new Municipal Offices and Hall, and that the Town Council be asked to recommend the expenditure of such sum as may be necessary for carrying out the ceremony of laying the foundation-stone. At the same meeting sanction will be asked to the Town Council's grant of Rs. 4,000 for illuminating addresses to the coming and the retiring Viceroys, and of providing caskets or cases to contain the addresses.

THE Satara Municipal Commissioners have resolved to present a farewell address to Lord Ripon when his lordship arrives in Bombay on his way to England. The address will be presented in a silver casket.

EXCHANGE is at a very low ebb just now. A postal notice issued on Saturday fixes the tariff rate for foreign money-orders at 1s. 6⅜d. per rupee.

The first musical and dramatic entertainment in aid of the Building Extension Fund of the Sassoon Institute and Library has been arranged to take place in the Institute on the evening of the 26th instant. We believe the whole of the available accommodation has been applied for by the members.

FROM the usual return issued from the office of the Executive Engineer, Municipality, it appears that the height of the water in the Vehar lake on the 14th inst. was 58·20 feet, or ten cents. more than on the corresponding day of last year. In Tulsi lake there were 49·70 feet on the 14th inst., being 1·60 feet less than on the corresponding day of last year.

THE International Postal Congress, which was to have taken place at Lisbon two or three months ago, was adjourned on account of the cholera scare which possessed all Europe at the time. It will probably now assemble in January next. Meantime Mr. H. M. E. James, of the Bombay Civil Service, the Director-General of the Indian Post Office, is improving the occasion by inquiring into some of the Continental postal systems on the spot, and will probably not return to this country until the middle of March.

THE co-operation of the Government of India having been invited by the authorities of the International Inventions Exhibition to be opened at London in May next, under the presidency of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, a special Resolution has been issued intimating that any inquiries which intending exhibitors may wish to make should be addressed to Baboo Troylokhya Nath Mukharji, the officer in charge of the Exhibition Branch of the Revenue and Agricultural Department (Museums and Exhibitions), Calcutta.

The *Indian Daily News* says that Mr. Croft, the Director of Public Instruction, will be appointed Minister of Education, or Chief Education Officer under the Indian Government, and that his successor in the Bengal Education Department will be *ex-officio* Secretary to the local Government in the Education Department. These will be some of the changes to take effect when the new educational scheme comes into operation.

THE news comes from Zhob that the Musa Khels and Jheebzais, the only sections that had not sent in their submission to Sir Robert Sandeman, have gone to Dera Ismail Khan and given themselves up to the Deputy Commissioner.

THE friends of the late Kristodas Pal will learn with pleasure that there is a strong probability of the admiration for the man and his public worth so universally expressed taking definite shape. The *Englishman* announces that early in December a meeting is likely to be called, at which in all probability His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal will preside, for the purpose of considering what steps should be taken to mark the public estimation in which the worth and work of Kristodas Pal are held. "It is too early yet," the *Englishman* says, "to state what measures may be deemed the most advisable, but there is a feeling pretty widely entertained that the memory of the man should be linked in some way with a charitable and philanthropic object which would remain through future years a memento of his own wide charity."

KUAR JWALA PRASAD, B.A., at present a Deputy Collector in Allahabad, has been appointed a probationer in the Indian Civil Service in the N. W. Provinces. He is a son of Rajah Jai Kishent Das, C.S.I., who was ennobled for distinguished services rendered by his brother Chauba Gansham Das and himself in the Mutiny.

THE Calcutta papers record the sudden death from cholera at Faridpur, on the 10th instant, of Mr. Roger Henry Pawsey, Magistrate and Collector of that district. Mr. Pawsey arrived in this country in October, 1861, and had served altogether twenty-three years. He was an officer much esteemed by both the Government and the members of his own service.

IN his remarks on slavery in Africa Mr. Stanley said that the Portuguese called it "free labour," but that it was really "compulsory expatriation." The natives, he added, called it by the right name, which shows that school boards are unnecessary in Africa, for "compulsory expatriation" is by no means a term that would naturally suggest itself to any one below the Sixth Standard.

GOLDEN weddings are events of rare occurrence but diamond weddings, as they are called in Germany, which are celebrated after sixty years of married life, excite a national interest even in a country where an Emperor is able at eighty-seven to sit for three hours in the saddle, and where a Minister in his seventieth year delights in keeping the whole diplomatic world on tenter-hooks from one end of the year to the other. The German papers give an account of the diamond wedding of General Stockmar (no relation of Baron Stockmar), which took place on Oct. 18 at Dessau. General Stockmar is in his ninety-first year, and both he and his wife are said to be in the enjoyment of perfect health. General Stockmar is one of the oldest friends of the German Emperor. They met for the first time, as mere boys, at the battle of Jena in 1806. At one of their more recent meetings, when the General expressed a hope that His Majesty might bring his shares up to par, the Emperor replied in his own humorous way, "Oh ! Stockmar, you are not a courtier ; if you were a true courtier you would have said, 'Oh ! your Majesty, is at least twenty per cent. above par !'"

DR. S. RABBETH, senior medical officer of the Royal Free Hospital in Gray's Inn-road, London, died in that institution on Monday, Oct. 20, in consequence of a too zealous devotion to a patient. The previous week a child named Lion Jennings, age four years, who was an in-patient, was suffering from diphtheria, and it was necessary, for the purpose of saving life, that tracheotomy should be performed. This was done by Dr. Rabbeth, assisted by the other house surgeons, and the obstruction not being removed it then became necessary that some one should suck the matter through a tube. Although Dr. Rabbeth knew the danger he would place himself in, he at once volunteered. The effect was that he relieved the patient very much for a time, but the child subsequently sank and died. Dr. Rabbeth some days afterwards was taken with symptoms of diphtheria, and although everything was done that skill could suggest he gradually got worse, and expired.

MILITARY NEWS.

CONSEQUENT on the departure on furlough of Colonel A. Fitzhugh, Commandant 5th Goorkhas, the following officiating appointments have been made :—Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Symm, 2nd-in-Command, to officiate as Commandant ; Major E. Molloy, Wing Commander, to officiate as 2nd-in-Command. Major L. R. Battye, Wing Officer, to officiate as Wing Commander, in addition to his other duties.

LIEUTENANT-COLONELS of the late Indian Artillery holding Staff appointments will in future be seconded instead of being placed on half-pay.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL S. J. BROWNE, Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant 6th Punjab Infantry, is proceeding on leave immediately.

BRIGADE SURGEON S. C. AINESBURY, Army Medical Department, on return from furlough, has been appointed to the civil charge of Roorkee.

LIEUTENANT A. R. DICK, the Border Regiment, with the 2nd Punjab Cavalry, has been granted language leave to Bombay.

THE E Company, 2nd Punjab Volunteer Rifle prize shooting, at Simla, records very high scoring, 7 shots at 200, 500 and 600, yards, military positions and targets.

Vol. J. O'M. Farrell	24	23	25—72
Serjt.-Major J. McDermott ...	23	23	24—70
Cr.-Serjt. R. Rander	23	26	21—70
Vol. T. Rutledge.....	26	23	20—69
,, F. H. DaCosta	22	24	21—67
,, E. Meyer	23	19	24—66
,, J. Bowder	25	21	20—66

and yet with such scores to grace the register, it is reported that the wind was gusty.

THE following officers have passed the Higher Standard examination in Pushtu :—

Lieutenant D. C. Phillott, 1st Manchester Regiment, with credit.

Major T. A. Barlow, 1st Manchester Regiment.

Lieutenant F. A. Hayden, 1st West Riding Regiment.

Lieutenant W. H. M. Stewart, 1st Punjab Cavalry.

Lieutenant R. B. Adams, Queen's Own Corps of Guides.

Lieutenant F. B. Mein, 5th Punjab Infantry.

Lieutenant P. M. Carpendale, 21st Punjab Infantry.

Lieutenant F. C. Dunlop, 2nd Sikhs.

SERGEANT T. S. BEAN, 2nd Punjab Volunteer Rifle Corps, has been appointed Lieutenant, *vice* Townley, resigned.

LIEUTENANT J. J. LENEHAN, E Company, 2nd Punjab Volunteer Rifle Corps, has resigned his commission.

THE BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

THE attendance at last Saturday's parade was more satisfactory than that at the previous parade. The corps as usual marched from the Town Hall in battalions, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Bayley, Commandant, to the parade ground. There after marching in quarter column the companies were told off to be drilled by their respective captains and sergeant instructors. Before being dismissed Lieutenant-Colonel Bayley expressed the pleasure he felt in being among them once more. He exhorted each one to turn out regularly for the next two or three Saturdays' parades, as they were rather rusty and wanted a little brushing up, after an inactivity of eight months. He hoped they would turn out to a man when the new Viceroy, Lord Dufferin, arrived. The following was the field state :—

Field Offs.	Capts.	Lieuts.	Sergts.	Buglers.	R. & F.	Totals
A Co.	..	1	..	1	10	— 11
B Co.	..	1	..	3	16	— 21
C Co.	..	1	2	2	16	— 21
D Co.	..	..	..	4	1	29 — 37
E Co.	..	1	..	4	1	60 — 65
F Co.	..	..	..	1	..	9 — 10
Staff & Band.	2	..	1	2	..	27 — 32
Army Staff.	..	1	..	2	..	4 — 7
Total ..	2	4	3	19	2	174 204

PASSENGERS BY THE INCOMING MAIL.

THE P. and O. s.s. Pekin (from London, Oct. 22) is expected here this evening. When the last mail-steamer left London the following passages had been booked in the Pekin :—

FOR BOMBAY.

Mr C A Hacket
Mrs McNeile
Mr Gaddum
Mr W M Ashton
Mr and Mrs J Macdonald
Miss Simpson
Mr and Mrs C A Wilkins
Mrs A Wilson
Miss Brakspeare
Major J W and Mrs Ottley
Mr and Mrs Blathwart
Surg.-Major & Mrs Spencer
Mrs Curzon Howe
Mr and Mrs D Cruickshank and two children
Miss Mackay
Mr R G Begg
Mr W Grant
Mr W Maling Grant
Mr and Mrs Gore Brown
Mr and Miss Holloway
Mr and Mrs Sladen
Mr and Mrs Macquardt and son
Mrs and Miss Warden
Miss Richards
Mrs Spencer
Mr and Mrs C Spitta
Mr Etlinger
Mrs Buckle
Mrs Leslie Saunders and infant
Mr G T Spankie
Mr and Mrs W Logan
Mr and Mrs Dunkerley
Dr G King
Miss M B Brownson
Miss A Brownson
Mr and Mrs Irvine
Two Misses Howard
Mr S Jones
Mrs Luckstedt
Mr A D Carey
Mr W W Glenn
Mrs C H Coles
Dr W McConaghey
Mrs McConaghey
Miss McConaghey
Mr H Lovett
Major O'Keefe
Col C W Thomas
Mrs Robinson
Capt and Mrs Urquhart
Mrs Robinson
Mr C A Mills
Mrs Hext
Mrs Hallowes
Mrs Parsons and infant
Mr E L Winter
Mrs Eldridge
Major Mansell
Mr J W Cuffe
Mrs Chambers
Mr J D Bartlett
Major McCally
Mr Bond
Mr E Lawrence
Mr J G Single
Mr Read
Surg and Mrs E W Street
Mr Shaw
Mr W H Jones
Mr R W Baxter
Miss Lind
Major-Gen M Dillon CB, CS
Mr J C Wardlaw
Miss Lonsdale
Rev J Mills Walker
Mr Morison
Mr K D Naigamvala
Hon E H S Napier
Mr T Inglis
Mr and Mrs Moffat
Mr F T G Walton
Mr R S Strachey
Mr W Lonsdale
Mrs Gunteleson, and 2 infants
Miss K Murray
Mrs R Vernon Garrett, and infant
Mr J Murdoch
Capt Webb
Mr W Kilby
Mr G N Grant
Miss Macdonald
Miss A Cockerell
Mr Harris
Mr and Mrs Dyson, and 2 daughters
Mr R Pearce
Mr Harrison
Mr J L Crowdy
Miss Davidson
Mr O'Keefe
Mr H L Sanders
Mr J Fleming
Mr and Mrs Harvey
Mr Hunt
Capt E W Chalmers

FROM SUEZ.

Mr and Mrs Gubbay
Mr O Braham

TELEGRAPHIC WEATHER REPORTS.

SIMLA, Nov. 14.—To-day's reports show a further barometric rise over the Punjab, the greater part of Rajputana, Benares, Central India, and the Central Provinces, the whole of the Bombay Presidency, and several Madras stations ; but elsewhere a decrease has set in. These changes have had the effect of once more transferring the seat of greater pressure to the Punjab, but in other respects have had little influence on the general distribution. The readings are highest in Dera Ismail Khan, and lowest in Cochin. The winds are little altered. They are more or less variable over a large part of North-western India, northerly at several Bengal stations, and generally easterly to north-easterly elsewhere. The weather is exceedingly fine, except in Burma and the south of the peninsula, where the skies are overcast. Rain to-day :—Negapatam, 3 inches ; Wellington and Colombo, 1 inch ; Coimbatore and Thyetmeo, ½ inch. Previously, Nellore, Coimbatore, and Madura had ½ inch.

Nov. 15.—In the Bombay Presidency and at a few stations in Madras the barometric rise noticed yesterday continues, but elsewhere pressure is falling, the decrease being greatest in Northern and least in Central and Southern India. The barometric range over India has decreased somewhat, but the relative positions of the high and low pressure areas are little changed. Winds are practically unaltered. The weather is clear or nearly so, except in Orissa, Lower Bengal, Burma, south of peninsula, and Ceylon ; and rain has fallen in Ceylon and Burma, and slightly in Madras. Elsewhere the sky is clear and weather fine. Rain to-day :—Colombo and Moulmein, 2 inches ; Cochin, 1 inch ; Rangoon, ¾ inch. Previously, Tuticorin had 1½ inch ; and Nellore, ¾ inch.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR AT KURRACHEE.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

KURRACHEE, Nov. 12.

ADVANTAGE was taken of His Excellency's visit to Kurrachee to request him to lay the foundation-stone of the memorial clock-tower to Sir William Merewether. His Excellency very kindly consented, and the ceremony went off with the greatest possible *éclat*. Mr. Grant, chairman of the memorial committee, delivered the following address on the occasion :—

May it please your Excellency, ladies, and gentlemen,—We are met together this afternoon for the purpose of commencing a work designed to perpetuate the memory of the late Sir William Merewether, for many years Commissioner in Sind, and to show to future generations the esteem in which he was held by the people of this province. The Kurrachee Municipality having generously come forward to supplement the funds raised by the subscribers to this memorial, I, in my capacity of Municipal Commissioner, have been asked by Colonel Wallace to say a few words on this occasion, also as honorary secretary and treasurer of the memorial fund from the first conception of the proposed monument to the present realization. I am able to give some particulars regarding the building about to be erected. I have first, on behalf of the subscribers to the Merewether Memorial and of the Municipal Corporation, to thank your Excellency for having so kindly acceded to their desire that you should do them the honour of laying the first stone of the very handsome clock-tower, the design of which is before you. Though to many of those here present Sir William Merewether was personally unknown, there are still a large number left in Sind who have every reason to revere his memory and regret his loss. We shall not easily forget the day when the sad news reached us of his premature and unexpected death, and the regret was shared by all classes of both the European and native communities. His genial qualities, his affability and hospitality, and his genuine love of Sind and its people had endeared him to all during the many years he worked for our interests. A very general desire was expressed by Sir William's friends that his service in Sind should not remain unrecognized, and that something should be done to honour his memory. Mr. J. G. Moore, Commissioner of the Southern Division and formerly Assistant Commissioner in Sind, was the first to move in this matter. Mr. Price, our Harbour Engineer, warmly seconded the movement, and promptly assisted by Colonel Wallace, Collector of Kurrachee, and the Kurrachee Municipality, the scheme has now assumed a tangible form. The elaborate and beautiful design submitted to your Excellency is the work of Mr. J. Strachan, the Municipal Engineer and Secretary, and we hope that it will meet with your Excellency's approbation. The tower, which is of the middle pointed style of Gothic architecture and resembles in form an "Eleanor Cross," will be 102 feet high from the base to the finial, and will stand on a broad flight of steps measuring at the base 44 feet. It will contain a striking clock at an elevation of 70 feet, with four dials each 7 feet in diameter. Access to the clock will be obtained by ornamental iron gates on the north and south sides. Upon the other sides will be panels relating to the object of the memorial. There will be a large bell weighing about 3 cwt. for striking the hours, and three smaller bells of 1 cwt. each for striking the half-hours and quarters. For the time and trouble he has taken in elaborating this beautiful design I think your Excellency will agree that the warmest thanks of the subscribers and Municipality are due to Mr. Strachan. I think upon such an occasion I may venture further to trespass on your Excellency's time to say a few words about the man whose name is being to-day perpetuated in this city, and I feel sure that Mr. Erskine, our present Commissioner, who has taken a deep interest in and warmly supported this movement from its commencement, will also allow me to refer to his predecessor, whose projects for the welfare of this province he has so ably continued to carry out. William Lockyer Merewether joined the Honourable East India Company's service in 1841. He first came to Sind with the 21st N. I., and served during the war in 1842-43 and was present at the battle of Hyderabad. He was appointed Adjutant of the Sind Irregular Horse at Jacobabad in December, 1843. He served in the campaign in the Southern Mahratta Country in 1844-45, and then returned to Sind, and was in 1847 in command of a detachment of Sind Horse which defeated a large body of Bhoogties near the frontier. This was a very gallant action, and the result was that the robber tribes on the frontier were completely cowed, and peace and tranquillity restored. In 1848-49 we find him with a detachment of the gallant Sind Horse serving with the Bombay columns of the Army of the Punjab. He was present at the siege and surrender of Multan, and took part in the battle of Gujerat and the pursuit and surrender of the Sikh army. Returning to Sind, he continued to serve on the frontier until 1858. He was appointed Political Superintendent and Commandant at Jacobabad in 1856, and he successfully held the Frontier during 1857, crushing an extensive rebellion projected by the Belooch and Brahui tribes. For these eminent services he was made a Companion of the Bath. I may briefly pass over his services as Resident of Aden and during the campaign in Abyssinia, which were, however, of so highly distinguished a character that he was rewarded by being made a Knight Commander of the Star of India and a Brevet Colonel. He also received the thanks of both Houses of Parliament. In July, 1868, Sir William Merewether was appointed Commissioner in Sind, and he continued to fill the duties of that high office until the 12th September, 1877, when he finally left Sind to take up the appointment of Member of the Council of India. During the nine years that he was Commissioner many measures for the public good and prosperity of the province were either originated by Sir William Merewether or had the benefit of his valuable support. It would be impossible on this occasion to enumerate in detail all the benefits that were conferred on Sind during his administration. The city of Kurrachee in particular is indebted to him in a great measure for the prosperity it now enjoys. He was the master-mind that foresaw a great commercial future for the port, and his was the hand which gave the initial impulse and untiring assistance to the formation and improvement of our harbour, with which his name will ever be associated. I have only now to conclude by thanking your Excellency for so kindly honouring, the memory of our late Commissioner, and thanking, on behalf of the people of Kurrachee, the liberal subscribers and supporters of the Merewether Memorial Fund. The handsome clock tower which I trust we shall soon see completed, is not the only record left of Sir William Merewether, and even without a visible monument to his name and his work his memory will long continue in the hearts of his friends, and all those who have the happiness and privilege of having known him.

His Excellency then said :—

Mr. Commissioner, ladies, and gentlemen,—In doing honour to the memory of a distinguished man we are honouring ourselves. Such names as that of Sir William Merewether should never be allowed to be forgotten. You have done well to record, in an imperishable form among the people whom he served so well, the life that was always devoted to their benefit. I had not the advantage of being his subordinate or his colleague ; but I had the honour of his acquaintance. It is now eighteen years since I had this good fortune in England, and three years later I passed a week in his company at Government House, Bombay, and although circumstances kept us apart, I certainly was able to realize the attractiveness of his character. He was one of those worthy Englishmen who have contributed to create the British Empire of India and to make it beneficial to the people who are subject to it. He is best known in connection with this province, and he was worthy to be ranked in the category of great men who have faithfully served their sovereign here. With Napier, Outram, Jacob, Frere and now Erskine, my friend beside me, he will long be remembered as one of those who have made British courage and justice the heritage of an Indian race. Merewether was a gallant soldier; at every step and opportunity of his service he was distinguished ; as an administrator he was firm and considerate and successful ; as a friend he was true and unfailing, and in the warmth and geniality of his character he inspired confidence and attachment in native as in European. I much mistake if his memory is not revered as much by the people of this province as by his fellow-countrymen, who loved and respected him. It is most gratifying to me that my participation in this ceremonial has seemed to you to add a fitting importance to the occasion, and I am proud to be associated in the commencement of a work of such beauty and significance. For what, ladies and gentlemen, is the lesson which such an occasion brings home to us all, but particularly to those who are yet on the threshhold of their career in India ? Surely, that the zealous performance of duty, of self-denying duty offers to all who are entrusted with it the highest incentives. No age has afforded to a nation a nobler task than has the government of India to the British nation. We send them the flower of our youth, and these when fitted for their work have each of them entrusted to them immense opportunities of good. To all cannot come the prizes of fame ; to many it is their lot to work unseen by the world, and perhaps though health and life itself may be lost and no reward be received in this world, yet there fails to none the opportunity of strengthening the hold which our country has upon India by its reign of law and liberty, and of illustrating in his own life and principles those features by which chiefly our rule is distinguished and which constitute its strength. Does not every Indian subject of the Queen know that from every Englishman he is sure of justice, and that so far as his hand can reach every one shall be protected and free ? That noble sense and performance of duty are the qualities which we celebrate to-day, and to incite our successors to emulate them is the purpose of this memorial to the glory of Sir William Merewether.

RAJPUTANA (AJMERE) RACES, 1884.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

STEWARDS.—Leslie S. Saunders, Esq., C. S., H. H. M. Purtab Singh, C. S. I., Colonel Fellows, Lieut.-Colonel Ruxton, Major Creagh, V. C., Captain Pengree, Br.-General Gillespie, C. B., H. H. M. Kishore Singh, Mr. H. Dangerfied, Mr. W. Harvey, Major Willoughby, Major Loch, Mr. R. Willmott, Honoray Secretary.

FIRST DAY, THURSDAY, 13TH NVEMBER.

This is the first meeting held here, and there is every prospect of its being a brilliant success. The honorary secretary is a thorough sportsman, and is aided by a thoroughly practical body of stewards. A handsome sum has been subscribed to start the fund here, while a host of visitors and numerous horses have come in from all parts of the country. The first night's lotteries filled well, and the racing to-day was very good. On the whole, I have good grounds for auguring a good meeting. One of the elements of extensive speculation is the fact of most of the horses being strangers and not having met before. The native princes showed up in great form on the course. There is an inherent love of sport in the Rajput, and no wonder. A race meeting just suits his taste down to the ground. There was a good attendance in the enclosure, while the course swarmed with the outpourings of the town, and it seemed as if all Ajmere had turned out *en masse* to witness the sport. A feature of the evening's sport has been the excellent horsemanship displayed by Maharajah Pertab Singh and some of his kinsmen. Maharajah Kishore Singh is also here, and taking a keen interest in the various events. There were five events set down on the card, three of which furnished very good finishes, while in the other two the results were foregone conclusions. A full detail of the running is appended :—

FIRST RACE.—"The Kotah Purse." Rs. 500 presented by H. H. the Maharao of Kotah. For all horses C

fifteen or seventeen minutes. Balvantrao Trimback and myself read the papers from Shamrao. I cannot say if I read the papers found on the second day from Shamrao. My signature was taken on the memo. of the first day's search. At that time the signatures of others engaged in the search were also taken.

Re-examined by Mr. Shantaram.—The search had already begun before I went. There were then seven or eight people already engaged in the search. Any paper found in the search by the searcher was handed to Shamrao. He kept it by him if he fe[lt] it to be useful. I did not count the number of papers which Shamrao selected as useful. I do not know how many papers Madhavrao Gopinath found. The people engaged in the search used to go out occasionally. I myself once went downstairs, and was out for about fifteen minutes. I did not count the number of papers found in all. There is a room near the wooden staircase of the palace over a small flight of steps. There were people seated in that room, as well as in the space on the left of the staircase. I did not attempt to see who they were. I cannot say if any papers were found in my absence.

By the court.—Shamrao when he went to His Highness had some papers in his hand. I was at a distance from him, so I cannot say with any accuracy how many papers he had.

Luckmichund Laljee Rahti, an opium merchant, was next called. He stated.—I am a resident of Indore. I know the firm of Subhkurn Baldeo. It was first called Maharam Shriram. I don't know the year of the change in the name. Subhkurn lived sometimes at Indore, sometimes at Gwalior, and sometimes at Didwana. I had transactions with the firm up to within the last two years. The moonim of the firm was Gambhirmull. He was a friend of mine. He died about six months ago. Harnath and Pralhad are the present owners of the firm. They were at first friendly towards Gambhirmull, but about a year or a year-and-a-quarter before his death differences arose between them and Gambhirmull. Gambhirmull got his son Ramprataap employed as moonim in the firm of Jairam Sanjeram. This displeased them. They sent for Gambhirmull from Gwalior, but he did not go there. This led to differences. I know this, as Gambhirmull used to tell me and consult me in these matters. I advised Gambhirmull not to go to Gwalior, as if they troubled him there nobody could save him. Upon Gambhirmull's refusal they wrote him to say they would compel him to go to Gwalior. Gambhirmull said that they could not trouble him, inasmuch as he had not been their servant the whole of their wealth he had gone to His Highness. I asked him how this was. He said Jankojee was Rajabhau's karbhari and had intended to forcibly get hold of the account-books of the firm, and it was he who saved them. He further said he had even then with him a chitti in the hand of Subhkurn, and that if His Highness came to know of its existence Subhkurn would suffer. Gambhirmull showed the chitti to me, and also read it.

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Continuation of the examination of Luckmichund Laljee. He stated:—Afterwards Gambhirmull and Ramnarayan, son-in-law of Subhkurn, went to Gambhirmull's house. I advised Ramnarayan to write to the masters of the firm that they should not trouble the old servants who had been so useful to them; and that he had such a chitti with him, and that they would be wholly ruined if they troubled him. Upon this Harnath in about two or three months came to Indore from Gwalior. Gambhirmull told me that he had a conversation with Harnath, who wanted to see the chit, but he put him off; and that thereupon Harnath promised a reward and pension if he gave the chit, but even then he did not give it to him. Gambhirmull after reading the chit to me kept it in a box in my presence. He died eight or ten months after this. A fortnight or a month before his death there was a rumour in the town that some investigation about Rajabhau's money dealings with soucars had been going on in the palace. While His Highness was at Laibag some six months ago, I had a conversation with him about the chit. His Highness complained to me that these soucars would not show their account-books, and denied the deposits of Rajabhau. I then said that I had seen a chit in Subhkurn's hand in possession of Gambhirmull. This conversation took place at night; and in the morning His Highness sent Maroti Hoonra to make an attachment on Gambhirmull's house. Maroti upon reaching Gambhirmull's house sent for me. After I went Maroti got the box opened by Jagannath, brother of Gambhirmull, and Ramprataap son of Gambhirmull. Upon opening the box the chit was found in a drawer. Maroti replaced the chit in the box, and took the box to His Highness. Besides Jagannath and Ramprataap I did not see any one else there. I can identify Subhkurn's hand-writing. Gambhirmull, when he first showed the chit to me said that it was in Subhkurn's handwriting. The chit shown to me now is the identical one I saw—exhibit E E E. It is dated Ashad Sudh 5th Samvat 1905, and purports to be a letter from Subhkurn at Didwana to Bhai Shrimaharam Shriram. From my knowledge I believe it to be in the hand-writing of Subhkurn.

Cross-examined by Mr. Athle.—I know that differences had arisen between Gambhirmull and his masters from what Gambhirmull said to me; and that a telegram had been received from Gwalior to the effect that if Gambhirmull did not go to Gwalior he would be forcibly taken. Hence Gambhirmull concluded that his masters were not well-disposed towards him. He further told me that the telegram had been destroyed by Pakhaidas. I did not see the telegram myself. Gambhirmull said to me that a letter was received first, and upon his refusal a telegram had been received ten or twelve days after. Gambhirmull wrote that he was sick, and could not go to Gwalior. I told Gambhirmull not to go, because the Oujein moonim of the firm of Maharam Shriram had been detained by the firm for five or six months at Gwalior, and that if he (Gambhirmull) were so detained there would be no one to make supervision over his son, who was employed with Jairamdas Sanayiram. There was no one else present but myself and Gambhirmull when he consulted me. I did not communicate this conversation to his brother Jagannath. I don't remember the contents of the chitti, as many years have elapsed; but I thought when I read the chit that there would be loss to Gambhirmull's masters thereby. I am in the habit of going to His Highness to pay my respects. I was alone with His Highness when I told him about the chit. The soucars His Highness referred to were Subhkurn Baldeo and Raghowjee Lalchund. His Highness said lakhs of rupees were due from them on account of Rajabhau Phansa, but that they denied the liability. Before I saw His Highness there was a talk in the town that in the papers of Rajabhau found, it was discovered that lakhs of rupees were due from Subhkurn and Raghowjee Lalchund to Rajabhau. My impression of the chit was that it showed lakhs of rupees due from Subhkurn to Rajabhau. I stopped dealings with with the firm since Gambhirmull's dismissal, but the accounts are not yet settled. Four months ago I obtained signatures of some of the bazaar people to a document asking for the reduction of opium duty, and purporting to state that His Highness ruled well and kept the ryots happy. The petition was sent to the Viceroy. It was signed by 1,700 or 1,800 people. Within the last two or three months I received a dress of honour from His Highness for having started a new trade at Indore. Subhkurn Baldeo stood security for me in connexion with a suit against me. There is an end of the security now, as the time fixed for it has expired.

Re-examined.—The new trade I started was for the purchase and sale of grain at a future date. If the grain and seeds were not delivered at the time fixed, compensation was to be given at one rupee over the Bombay price. I am a chowdry in connexion with this business. Four months have passed since the commencement of this new trade. The new trade was started about three months after I had spoken to His Highness about the chit. His Highness had assembled the whole bazaar and inquired of the people whether they approved of the trade, and upon their approval His Highness gave me a dress of honour in open durbar. I had no intention or knowledge of starting this new trade when I spoke to His Highness about this chit. There has been no misunderstanding between me and Subhkurn Baldeo on account of the security. On the contrary, I am grateful to them.

(To be continued).

LORD MARCUS BERESFORD AND "VANITY FAIR."

At Bow-street Police-court, on October 17th, Lord Marcus Beresford appeared before Mr. Vaughan, in answer to a summons charging him with committing an assault on Mr. Thomas Gibson Bowles, editor of "Vanity Fair," at the office of that paper, Tavistock-street, Covent-garden, Mr. Montagu Williams was for Lord Marcus Beresford, who sat beside his representative in the box set apart for barristers; while Mr. Gibson Bowles occupied a seat beside his solicitor, Mr. George Lewis. The court was crowded. It is understood that the case has arisen in consequence of a paragraph published in "Vanity Fair" on Oct. 4, and a letter which appeared in the following number of the paper, on Oct. 11.

As soon as Mr. Vaughan took his place on the bench, Mr. Montagu Williams said: I have to make an application to your worship with regard to a summons which was granted by Mr. Flowers at this court on Friday last, at the instance of Mr. George Lewis, solicitor, on behalf of Mr. Gibson Bowles, the proprietor of "Vanity Fair," against Lord Marcus Beresford for assault. The summons was served upon Lord Marcus Beresford, late on Saturday afternoon, but as his solicitor, who has had charge of all the affairs connected with this matter—Mr. Brandon—was away from London, it was utterly impossible for Lord Marcus Beresford to be prepared to meet this charge here to-day. Mr. Brandon being away, and I myself being in the country, I wrote to Mr. George Lewis from my country place on the subject, proposing an adjournment, but it appears that the letter did not reach Mr. Lewis until yesterday evening. Not having received an answer from Mr. Lewis, and being at the Central Criminal Court yesterday, I sent round in the afternoon to tell him I had written that letter to him, and that if Mr. Bowles had not instructed him to consent to an adjournment I would meet Mr. Lewis at the court this afternoon, when the matter would be arranged to be postponed. Lord Marcus Beresford had a very important engagement to-day, but he gave that up, and he is now here by my side, and I told him that he must attend, as if he did otherwise he would be wanting in proper respect to the court. The summons was granted out of the usual way, being returnable much within the period generally allowed—a week from the day on which it is issued. For myself I am not aware of any facts connected with this case which should take it out of the usual course of events, and I have always understood, during the period in which I have had the honour and pleasure of appearing before yourself, sir, and other metropolitan magistrates, that the usual course is to apply for a summons returnable in a week from the date of issue.

Mr. Vaughan: Yes that is so.

Mr. Montagu Williams: I am in this position, sir, that my brief consists of this sheet of paper, because Lord Marcus Beresford's solicitor, being engaged as an arbitrator in a matter arising out of the Salvation riots at Worthing, is unable to attend to this case, and I am therefore utterly unprepared to go on, my application to you, sir, accordingly is, as I take it a very reasonable one. Lord Marcus Beresford is here, and I can see no reason why it should not be granted.

Mr. Vaughan: I have no objection at all.

Mr. George Lewis: In this case I appear for Mr. Bowles. I am not going into any of the circumstances of the case, but I am instructed by Mr. Bowles to oppose any adjournment. If, however, you think, after the statement of Mr. Williams that an adjournment should take place he is content to leave the matter with you. The assault was committed upon Mr. Bowles last Thursday. On the following day he made an application to this court, and he has come here to-day with his witnesses ready to support the charge. And for myself I really fail to see any practical reason why the witnesses for Mr. Bowles's case should not be heard to-day, except that the solicitor who was instructed by Lord Marcus Beresford is unable to be present. I very much regret it. I think it right to state, however, that he wrote to me saying that he would be compelled to be absent, but under the instructions which I received from Mr. Bowles I did not think I should yield to any application for an adjournment. I do not know why there should be an adjournment, and why the complainant and his witnesses should not be examined to-day. Lord Marcus Beresford's counsel is present, and from my own knowledge of the circumstances of this matter I fail to see any real reason why the case should not proceed to-day. If any of his witnesses are absent they can be called on a future occasion. Inasmuch as this was an unprovoked assault,—

Mr. Montagu Williams: We shall see about that at the proper time.

Mr. Vaughan: What are the circumstances which would render it inconvenient to proceed to-day? Do you say, Mr. Williams that it would be against the interests of justice that the case should go on this afternoon?

Mr. Montagu Williams: I will tell you. Lord Marcus Beresford's solicitor is not here, and he has not therefore had any time to prepare his defence. If you wish to go into the defence I will tell you my reasons, but I do not propose to do that, because I want to know what is the difference between this and other case that it should be taken out of the usual course.

Mr. Vaughan: Do you mean to say that justice would not be done unless you have an adjournment?

Mr. Montagu Williams: Yes. I distinctly say so.

Mr. Vaughan: Very well. Under these circumstances I shall adjourn the case.

The case was accordingly adjourned, and to meet the convenience of all parties it was agreed that it should be heard on Wednesday, the 29th inst.

MADRAS GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(Fort St. George Gazette, Nov. 11.)

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

Surg S Sarkies, Acting Civil Surg Cannanore, privilege leave for three months, from or after the 1st proximo.

Mr E E Spencer, to act as Sub-Collr and Joint Magte, Salem, during the absence of Mr M R Weld on other duty.

Mr J H A Tremenheere, to act as Head Asst to the Collr and Magte of the Dist, North Arcot, during the absence of Mr R S Benson on other duty.

The services of Surg Major W S Fox, are replaced at the disposal of the Mily Dept.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT.

The Rt Hon the Secy of State for India has commuted into leave on medical certificate for seven months, with effect from the 23rd March last the leave for six months granted to the Rev J Black and has permitted him to return to duty.

The Rev J M Walker, MA, to act as Chaplain of St John's, Bangalore.

Surg J L VanGeyzel, to be a Lay Trustee of St Stephen's Church, Berhampore.

Lieut Col A C Havelock Comdg 1st In H C, to be a Lay Trustee of Holy Trinity Church, Aurungabad, in the place of Captain Salte, who has left the station.

The Rt Hon the Secy of State for India has permitted the Rev G H Deane to retire from the service, with effect from the 25th of August last.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The following reversions and promotions are made:—

Mr J C Johnston, Exc Engr, Fourth Grade (sub pro tem), to be Asst Engr, First Grade, from 6th Oct.

Mr C A Smith, Asst Engr, First Grade, (sub pro tem), to be Asst Engr, second Grade from 6th Oct.

Mr A M Hayes, Asst Engr, First Grade, (sub pro tem), to be Asst Engr, First Grade from 27th Oct. Permanent.

Mr C A Smith, Asst Engr, Second Grade, to be Asst Engr, First Grade from 27th Oct, sub pro tem.

The following promotions are made:

Serjt J H Ulyett, Supervisor, Second Grade, (Temporary rank), to be Supervisor, Second Grade from 21st Oct—sub pro tem.

Mr. P Whitbread, Overseer, First Grade, to be Supervisor, Second Grade, from 21st Oct—Temporary rank.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Privilege leave for two months is granted to Mr E E Scott, Inspr in the Salt Dept.

Mr F W M Stone, Asst Inspr is posted to the charge of the Kayalpatnam Circle during the absence of Mr Scott on privilege leave.

Mr R Pedroza, Asst Inspr is transferred to the Tuticorin Circle during the employment of Mr Stone in the Kayalpatnam Circle.

Mr S A McD'Calder, Proby Ins of Salt Revenue, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from 15th Oct.

SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

L. Biji Laul, Head Surveyor, No II Party, Madras Survey, has been granted sick leave of absence for six months from 20th Sept Inst, in extension of the leave granted to him in the Fort St George Gazette of the 22nd April.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT

The appointment of Lieut Col J A Tillard, R A, to be Asst Adjt Genl R A, vice Col Caine, had effect from the 31st Oct not 21st Oct as notified in G O G dated 4th Nov.

Surg-Major W Macrae, M B, I M D, to be Secy and Statistical Officer to the Surg-Genl, H M's Forces, Madras, vice Dy Sur-Genl G Bidie, M B, C I E, who vacates the appointment on promotion.

The undermentioned Officers are admitted to the Madras S C with effect from the dates specified, subject to the confirmation of the Rt Hon the Secy of State for India:—

Lieut R D Burlton, Bedfordshire Regt. Dated 1st Feb 1883.

Lieut C H M Hitchens, 1st West India Regt. Dated 5th Feb 1883.

Lieut & P Wood Northamptonshire Regt. Dated 5th Sept 1883.

The Rt Hon the Secy of State for India has permitted Lieut Col (Bt Col) R A Cole, S C, to reside in England on the English pay of his rank, with effect from the date of termination of his furlough until the 28th Feb 1886.

Lieut-Col (Bt Col) T G Clarke, S C Commr of Coorg has returned from furlough at Madras on the 3rd Nov.

The Rt Hon the Gov in Council is pleased to accept the resignation of Commission by Capt E T C N Martin, S C, dated 15th Nov. He is struck off the Madras Estbt from the 27th Oct.

With reference to the Public Dept Notification No 480, dated 11th Nov, the services of Surg-Major W S Fox, I M D, are placed at the disposal of the Gov of India for employment in the Military Accts Dept. The services of Surg H St C Carruthers are placed at the disposal of the Pub Dept.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

Mr A C Tute, Jt Magte and Depy Colr, Dinagepore leave for three months, from date he may be relieved of his present apptmt as Offg Magte and Colr of that dist by Mr H S Beadon.

Mr C J Dey, Jt Magte and Depy Colr, has been granted by H M's Secy of State for India an extension of furlough for six weeks.

Mr W F Meres, Dist and Sess Judge, Midnapore, furlough for five months, from 12th Augt last, in commutation of leave granted 3rd July, 1884.

Mr C F Manson, Depy Magte and Depy Colr, Narsingunge, Dacca, is transfd to Nuddea and to have charge of the Kooshtea sub-divn.

Mr H P Todd-Naylor, Asst Magte and Colr, Dacca, to have charge of the Narsingunge sub-divn.

Mr F Wyer, Magte and Colr, Dacca, to act temply as Comr of Dacca divn till relieved by Mr E Lewis.

Mr F H Barrow, Jt Magte and Depy Colr, Dacca, to act temply as Magte and Colr of that Dist till relieved by Mr F Wyer.

Moulvie Aulad Ali, Asst Supdt of Police, Gya, is transfd to Purneah.

Mr P Cossarat, Sub-Depy Opium Agent, Gya, leave for three months, from date he may avail himself of it.

Mr J Christian to act as Sub-Depy Opium Agent, Gya, during the absence on leave of Mr P Cosserat.

Mr S J Kilby, Supdt of Customs, Preventive Service and Sulkea Salt Golahs, has been granted by H M's Secy of State for India an extension of furlough for one month.

Mr R S T MacEwen, Second Judge of the Court of small Causes, Calcutta, reported his departure from India, on furlough, on 31st ult.

Mr G F Lamb, Asst Engr, first grade, is on return from furlough on 27th Octr, 1884, posted to the Behar Assam State Railway, which he joined on the 31st idem.

Mr M H Arnott, Asst Engr, second grade, is transfd in the interests of the public service from the Cossye to the Circular and Eastern Canals Divn.

Mr J T Simpson, Exe Engr third grade is apptd, as a temply measure, to hold charge of the Second Calcutta Divn.

Mr M H Arnott, Asst Engr, second grade, Cossye Divn, passed the lower standard examn in Hindustani on 6th Oct. 1884.

The Lieut-Govr is pleased to make the following promotion in the Engr Estabt of the Public Works Dept:—

Mr F M S Douglas from Exo Engr fourth grade, to Exc Engr, third grade, promoted 21st Augt, 1884, sub pro tem.

Mr T M L Thompson, from Asst Engr, first grade, to Exc Engr, fourth grade, promoted 21st Augt, 1884 tempy.

Mr A G Bremner, from Asst Engr first grade, to Exc Engr, fourth grade, promoted 21st Aug, 1884, tempy.

Mr A G Bremner, from Exc Engr, fourth grade, (tempy rank), to Asst Engr, first grade, reverted 24th Oct 1884.

Mr T M L Thompson, from Exc Engr, fourth grade, (tempy rank) to Asst Engr, first grade reverted 25th Oct, 1884.

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3. The amount of earnest money required to accompany the tender is Rs. 550, and the amount of deposit required in the case of the accepted tender is 5 per cent. on the tendered amount.

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Bombay Defences Office, Fort, 12th November, 1884.

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1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and the Audited Balance-Sheet and Profit and Loss Accounts for the year ended 30th June, 1884.

2. To appoint two Directors in the place of those who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.

3. To appoint an Auditor or Auditors and to fix his or their remuneration.

4. To transact any other business which the Chairman may bring before the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors,

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ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

SUIT No. 187 OF 1881.

PESTONJEE BEJUNJEE and RUSTOMJEE BEJUNJEE, of Bombay, Parsee inhabitants, residing at Dhunjee Doongeria-street, outside the Fort of Bombay, administrators of the estate and effects of the late BEJUNJEE FURDOONJEE, deceased .....Plaintiffs.

vs.

ABDOOL RAHIMAN bin SHAIK BUDOO, of Bombay, Mahomedan inhabitant, residing at Bangalpoora-street, outside the Fort of Bombay .....Defendant.

PURSUANT to the Decretal Order made in the above suit and bearing date the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, the following immoveable property WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION in one lot before Mr. R. FARRAN, Esquire, Acting Commissioner of this Honourable Court, at his office in the Court House, on WEDNESDAY, the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon.

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All the estate and interest of the abovenamed plaintiffs and of the abovenamed defendant or any of them in the premises hereinafter described, that is to say:—

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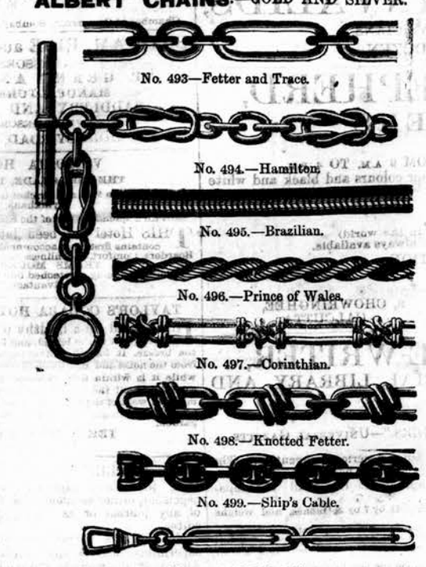

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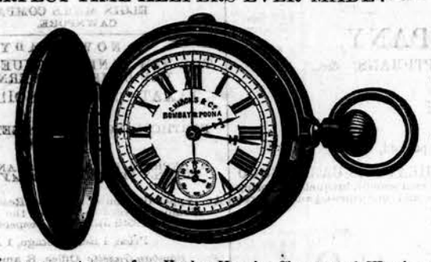

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